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THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair today and tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 34 above and the minimum 12 degrees. The sun rose foggy at 7:22 a. m. and set clear at 5:40 p. m. The daily report, furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a.m.	30.11	12	100	N.W.	6	Foggy
8 p.m.	30.21	28	55	N.W.	10	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for February 9:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	34	42	Mean	22	38
Minimum	12	35	Precipitation	0	.05
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	30		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.10	
Dfcy. for day	11		Dfcy. for day	.10	
Dfcy. since Feb. 1	166		Dfcy. since Feb. 1	.67	
Exc. since Jan. 1	175		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	1.58	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday and Sunday; light to fresh west to northwest winds.

Ohio—Fair Saturday and Sunday; light to fresh west to northwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Columbus	28 Clear	Cincinnati	28 Clear
Dubuque	10 Clear	Chicago	20 Clear
Peoria	18 Clear	St. Louis	26 Clear
Memphis	38 Clear	Washington	40 Clear
Omaha	26 PtCldy	Parkersburg	50 Clear
Buffalo	0 PtCldy	Springfd, Ill.	22 Clear
Atlanta	46 Clear	Des Moines	20 Clear
Norfolk	44 Clear	Grand Rapids	18 Clear
Wichita	32 Cloudy	Chattanooga	44 Clear
Concordia	26 Cloudy	Davenport	14 Clear
Amarillo	24 Cloudy	Indianapolis	22 Clear
Abilene	46 Cloudy	Philadelphia	40 Clear
El Paso	46 Rain	Baltimore	40 Clear
Nashville	38 Clear	New York	34 Clear
Louisville	8 Clear	Cleveland	26 Cloudy
*Duluth	2 Clear	New Orleans	52 Clear
Marquette	8 PtCldy	Grand Haven	20 Clear
Madison	10 Clear	Kansas City	28 Clear
St. Paul	6 Clear	Springfd, Mo.	26 Clear
Havre	10 Cloudy	Little Rock	42 Clear
*Bismarck	8 Clear	Shreveport	52 Clear
Huron	2 Clear	Fort Smith	40 Clear
Helena	22 Cloudy	Vicksburg	48 Clear
Palestine	50 Clear	San Antonio	50 PtCldy
Cairo	26 Clear	Montgomery	52 Clear
Oklahoma	34 Clear	Jacksonville	54 Clear
Cheyenne	24 Clear	Galveston	48 Clear
Lander	24 Cloudy	Yellowstone	22 PtCldy
Denver	22 Cloudy	Los Angeles	54 Cloudy
Santa Fe	24 Cloudy	†Boston	32 Snow
Pueblo	28 Clear		

*Below zero. †Observations taken at 8 a. m.

By General Acclamation.

In the high-class restaurants and hotels, in the home of the able provider, in fact, wherever a good palate serves as a guide, the selection of Moet & Chandon "White Seal," vintage of 1900, is positively manifest, and this delicious product is proclaimed the "champagne of the day." No less than 99,387 cases of Moet & Chandon champagne were brought into the port of New York during 1905, which amount is over 50 per cent greater than was imported by the house second on the list, as compiled in the custom house statistics. At all social gatherings, prominent functions and banquets the feature proper is "White Seal," vinage 1900, and the great increase in its sales is evidence of its continued popularity.

FORAKER READY TO SUPPORT TILLMAN'S PROBE

Will Investigate Railroad Combine Grip on West Virginia.

SAME IN THIS STATE

Conditions Similar to Those Complained of by Gov. Dawson Exist Elsewhere.

ALL EYES ON THE COMMITTEE

Special Telegram From L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—"I do not care to enter into a detailed discussion of the subject at this time, but what I said yesterday indicated very plainly my position in the matter. I stand by what I said then and will support a resolution providing for an investigation of the complaints against these railroads."

This statement was made today by Senator Foraker when asked for an elaboration of his views on the allegation that the Pennsylvania railroad, through its control of the Baltimore & Ohio, the Norfolk & Western and the Chesapeake & Ohio, has the coal industry of West Virginia in its grasp. He will stand with Senator Tillman, who stated yesterday that if the house did not order an investigation as proposed in the resolution introduced by Representative Gillespie of Texas, he would ask the senate to inaugurate an inquiry of its own. On a former occasion Senator Foraker stated that the Pennsylvania railroad was the only road that would not be affected by the proposed rate legislation, because it absolutely controls the transportation situation in its territory.

Interest in Dawson Letter.

Through its virtual if not actual stock control of these other trunk lines, no coal or other products can be shipped out of West Virginia without paying tribute to the Pennsylvania. It is claimed that the same conditions prevail in Pennsylvania. It can augment or curtail shipments at its pleasure and it is the alleged wielding of this tremendous power that Gov. Dawson of West Virginia complains of in his letter to Senator Tillman.

Gov. Dawson's letter was the subject of widespread comment about the capitol today, and all eyes are on the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce, which has the Gillespie resolution under consideration. The committee held a meeting today and had the resolution up, but reached no conclusion. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday, when it is probable some decision will be reached regarding it.

In view of the great interest in the subject it is not probable that there will be any attempt to smother the resolution in committee, but a vote will be taken which will decide whether or not it is to be reported to the house. The chances are largely in favor of a favorable report.

Tillman Ready to Act.

Should this action not be taken and should the house fail to adopt the resolution, then Senator Tillman will offer a like resolution in the senate and insist upon its adoption. There is little doubt but that it would be adopted.

It was learned today that Senator Tillman was not the only senator who received a letter from Logan M. Bullitt, president of the Red Rock Fuel Company, alleging the rankest kind of discrimination against the company by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Every other senator received a copy of that letter, including the senators from West Virginia, but Mr. Tillman lost no time in bringing the subject to the attention of the senate. Now it is intimated that the South Carolinian was prompt to act, because he hoped to make political capital out of it. But whatever his motive, it is a fact that nothing in connection with the whole subject of railroad rate legislation has created so much interest and discussion as the charges of Mr. Bullitt, supported by the letter of Gov. Dawson.

Considering the Rate Bill.

The senate committee on interstate commerce today began consideration of the Hepburn rate bill which passed the house yesterday. This measure is now made the basis of legislation and has been taken up section by section. Today was devoted to the first section, which describes the kind of transportation to which the act shall apply. There was quite a discussion in the committee as to whether express companies and Pullman cars are included in this section; also whether under the terms of the section railroads would not be compelled to transfer freight in transit at the option of the shipper. Several amendments were suggested to meet objections raised by different senators.

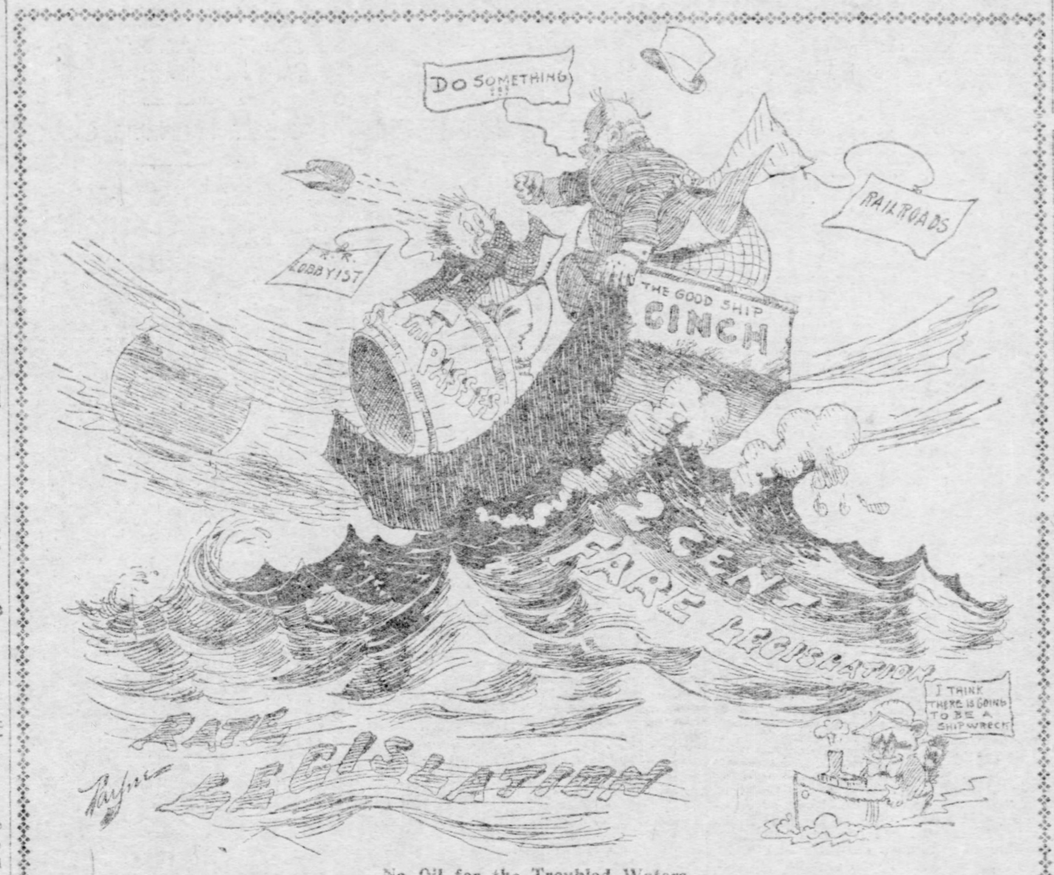
The committee will meet again tomorrow. It is generally conceded that the Hepburn bill with only a few modifications will have a majority report when the committee votes next Friday.

CARRIES CORPSE IN ARMS.

Body of Boy Who Died on Train Is Taken by Parents Through Deep Snow to Undertaker.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Wading through the snow, half way to his knees, followed by his weeping wife, Carlo Colucci, a well-known Italian of Altoona, today carried the dead body of his six-year-old son to the rooms of a Harrisburg undertaker.

The parents were taking their boy to a Philadelphia hospital to be treated for rheumatism and the child died in its mother's arms just before the train reached the Union station in this city.



No Oil for the Troubled Waters.

FALSE CHARGES ARE QUICKLY NAILED BY RIDGLEY

Refutes Story That Charles F. Kirschler Is Concerned in Enterprise Failure.

Special Telegram From L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Charles F. Kirschler, Republican candidate for mayor of Allegheny, has been completely exonerated of the charge made by an Allegheny minister to the effect that Mr. Kirschler was responsible for the failure of the Enterprise National bank. These charges were forwarded to the President with the request by Mr. Kirschler that they be investigated. President Roosevelt, realizing that a serious imputation had been put upon Mr. Kirschler, referred his letter to Secretary Shaw of the treasury, and he, in turn, referred to the comptroller of the currency, Comptroller Ridgley's report on the matter is as follows:

"I return herewith a letter from Mr. William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the President, and also a letter addressed to the President by Charles F. Kirschler, president of the Provident Trust Company, and Republican nominee for mayor of Allegheny, Pa.

"As requested by you, I have asked Thomas Rinaker, receiver of the Enterprise National bank, and Edward P. Moxey, special national bank examiner detailed to investigate the affairs of this bank at the request of the department of justice, whether there is anything implicating Mr. Charles F. Kirschler, or in any way connecting him with the failure of the Enterprise National bank.

"Mr. Moxey writes as follows: 'Thus far in my investigation, I have not run across a record of any transaction that Charles F. Kirschler had with the bank, either as a maker or indorser of any note. His name does not appear to be among the depositors of the bank.'

"Mr. Rinaker writes and telegraphs me practically to the same effect, so that I am safe in saying that there has not been found in the Enterprise National bank any evidence at all to justify any charge that Mr. Kirschler was connected, directly or indirectly, with the failure of the bank."

THE FRENCH VICTIM OF CASTRO'S WRATH

M. TAIGNY.

PARIS, Feb. 9.—The solution of the Venezuelan difficulty according to authoritative information will go over until the conclusion of the Moroccan conference. The French government is now awaiting Ambassador Jusserand's communication to the foreign office of M. Taigny, who was charge d'affaires of France at Caracas. No further developments are expected until M. Taigny's arrival in Paris.

CREASY WINS IN HOUSE

Secures Adoption of Resolution to Investigate the Pennsylvania Railroads.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—The house today adopted the Creasy resolution directing Attorney General Carson to inquire as to whether the railroad companies of Pennsylvania are engaged in the mining of coal, which is alleged to be in violation of the state constitution, and if so to proceed against them.

The resolution was adopted by a vote of 166 to 2, with slight opposition, after an attempt had been made to substitute for it a resolution creating a commission of five senators and six representatives to investigate the railroad and coal mining companies and report to the next legislature.

The resolution will be taken up by the senate on Monday night when it is expected an effort will be made to have the resolution ruled out on the point of order that it is not germane to the governor's call for an extra session. This question was raised in the house and was submitted by Speaker Walton to that body, which decided it was not well taken.

TO ANNOY THE PUBLIC.

Prominent Railroads in Ohio Said to Be Planning to Make 2-Cent Fare Law Obnoxious.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—When the new two-cent fare law goes into effect in Ohio on March 10, the Pennsylvania railroad, tactily supported by all other lines affected, will, according to railroad officials, test in the courts the constitutionality of the measure, saying that trains will be run at a loss if only two cents a mile is collected. It is understood the sale of through tickets is to be discontinued to cause people annoyance when changing.

A decision of the interstate commerce commission that for through travel the fare may be greater than local mileage is to be brought forward. Traffic managers say that the new rate schedule cannot be drawn up and made public short of three months.

HELP FOR BEAVER COLLEGE.

Andrew Carnegie Offers to Donate $25,000 If the School Will Raise $75,000.

BEAVER, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—President Staples of Beaver college announced in chapel this morning that Andrew Carnegie had offered to give the last $25,000 of $100,000 to be raised by the college. The announcement was received with applause. Since the erection of the new buildings the college has carried a heavy debt and each year there has been a deficit, as the income is not enough to conduct the college.

One hundred thousand dollars will not only pay off all the obligations of the institution, but will also leave an excellent beginning for an endowment. Plans are being made to secure $75,000, which must be raised before Mr. Carnegie's donation will be obtainable.

EXPLOSION DESTROYS FIVE DWELLING HOUSES

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—A rubber hose attached to a gas stove in the home of Mrs. D. E. Arnold at Sistersville, became loose last night and caused a $5,400 fire. Five houses burned. The loses are: Mrs. Frank D. Young, $1,400; J. H. McCoy, $1,000; Charles Monroe, $800; Mrs. D. E. Arnold, $500; Butler house, $800; Mrs. Peters, $500; Mrs. Collins, $800. There was $1,000 insurance on the house of Mrs. Frank D. Young. None of the others carried insurance.

NOTED CHINESE GET FIRST SLEIGH RIDE

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Viceroy Tuan Fang and Tai Hung Chi, the imperial Chinese commissioners, enjoyed the first sleight ride of their lives today after spending several hours visiting Cornell university.

Collector Heiner at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Daniel B. Heiner, collector of internal revenue at Pittsburgh, was here today and called at the committee rooms of Senators Knox and Penrose. Mr. Heiner stated that he was not here to look after his retention in office, but was on business at the treasury department.

LONGWORTH FRETS UNDER ATTACK OF TONSILITIS

The President's Prospective Son-in-Law, However, Is Not in Serious Condition.

Special Telegram From L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Representative Nicholas Longworth is in bed with an attack of tonsilitis. His physician has assured him, however, that he will be up and about in a day or two. The date set for the wedding of Mr. Longworth and Miss Alice Roosevelt is just a week off, but it is insisted at the Longworth residence that absolutely no anxiety is felt that the patient will not have fully recovered in ample time for that.

Representative Longworth was not in his place at the house yesterday or today and inquiry developed the fact that he had not called at the White House since day before yesterday. Dr. William Penn Compton, who had just completed his evening call on his patient, found him without fever and held out the hope that he might be up and around tomorrow, or the day following at the latest. Dr. Compton confirmed this view of the case. It is emphasized that there is not the slightest evidence of any complication.

Mr. Longworth is a healthy, robust, athletic sort of chap who has had very little acquaintance with illness of any kind. It is probable that he is not in the most patient mood under this most exasperating infliction that could come upon a man whose wedding day is approaching, but there seems to be reason to believe that he will suffer more in his patience from this attack than otherwise.

MUTES TOAST THE BRIDE.

Miss Roosevelt Receives Enthusiastic Honor in Silent Language at Novel Banquet.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—With water bottles, candelabra and wine glasses held high in the air the members of the Deaf Mutes Union League club, at their twentieth annual celebration at Reisenweber's last night, toasted Miss Roosevelt. Marcus L. Kenner, toastmaster, when the dinner was completed sprang to his chair and lifting his glass made the following toast with his left hand:

"To Miss Alice Roosevelt, prospective Mrs. Longworth—our congratulations."

In an instant scores of hands were in the air spelling out the enthusiasm of their owners; men jumped into their chairs or pounded on the table, while others screamed with delight.

DEIGEN CONFESSES TO THE KILLING OF LEWIS

Ohio Prisoner Claims They Had a Dispute Over Money and He Used a Club.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WARREN, O., Feb. 9.—After maintaining his innocence since last Friday Charles C. Deigen today made a signed confession that he killed Randolph K. Lewis, aged 70, the wealthy farmer and stockman at West Farmington, O., January 13. Lewis was found dead on the kitchen floor about midnight by a hired man named Altman. The body was covered with straw and the kitchen had been set on fire. Deigen made his confession to District Attorney Wilkinson in the presence of a stenographer.

Deigen states that he loaned Lewis $500. Later he made a deal with Lewis for a five-acre farm near West Farmington. On the night of January 13 he met Lewis and walked home with him. After Deigen demanded the deed to the property or else his money, he says Lewis picked up a heavy piece of wood. Thinking Lewis intended to assault him, Deigen says he grasped a heavy club and struck the old man with it four times.

Detective Avery of Cleveland, whose work on the Lewis murder case led to the arrest and confession of Deigen, said this evening: "The first clue to Deigen was obtained from a railroad man who told us Deigen had gone to Pittsburgh. Then I heard of a young woman who had received a letter from Miss Bessie Gillett, a nurse in a Pittsburgh hospital and I learned that the letter had reference to Deigen.

"I saw the letter and learned that Deigen was in the Pittsburgh hospital. I went to Pittsburgh immediately and learned that as soon as questioned Deigen spoke of the West Farmington murder and said that he had been attacked by the two men who committed the crime."

Rare Old Furniture for Mrs. Carnegie.

MINEOLA, L. I., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Some rare old furniture is left Mrs. Andrew Carnegie in the will of Elizabeth Vernon, offered for probate today. The testatrix died December 3, leaving an estate valued at about $5,000. The will provides that Mrs. Carnegie shall have whatever pieces of furniture she may select.

Prominent Englishwoman Dies.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The Countess Howe, who was Georgiana Elizabeth Spencer-Churchill, daughter of the seventh duke of Marlborough and aunt of the present duke of Marlborough, died today. The countess was chairman of the Imperial yeomanry hospitals committee.

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COUNCILS MAKE RAPID STRIDE TO GREATER CITY

Annexation Ordinance Is Introduced and Will Be a Law on Tuesday.

LARKIN MAKES KICK

Controller Declares Act Which Guthrie Helped to Draft Is Unconstitutional.

OTHER OPPONENTS WAITING

The first step toward Greater Pittsburgh since the enactment of the Cook law at Harrisburg two days before was taken yesterday afternoon by Pittsburgh select council. That body held a special meeting at which an ordinance, drafted by City Solicitor W. B. Rodgers, was introduced, directing the mayor of Pittsburgh to petition the court of quarter sessions praying that the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny shall be united and become one city.

The ordinance was given by Director Bigelow to P. J. Barry of the Fifth ward to present. It was referred to the joint finance committee. A special meeting of the finance committee has been called for this morning at 11 o'clock, at which the bill will be approved and reported out of the committee to common council on Monday night. The common branch is expected to suspend the rules and put the bill through Monday night and to send it to select council Tuesday afternoon for concurrence.

It will be signed by the mayor at once and the petition will be filed by the mayor with the court of quarter sessions not later than Wednesday, or just one week after the bill passed the legislature and was signed by Gov. Pennypacker.

Holiday Not Legal Bar.

The petition of the mayor in behalf of the city will not ask for an election. It merely asks that the two cities be consolidated. The law provides that the court shall set a time for a hearing not more than 20 days after the petition is filed, and if the petition and proceedings are found to be regular and in conformity

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PLEA FOR CONSIDERATION

Impossible for All Friends to Witness White House Wedding, Says President.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—President Roosevelt authorizes the following statement, which was given out at the White House today:

"The President and Mrs. Roosevelt ask the kind consideration of many friends who would under ordinary circumstances receive invitations to Miss Roosevelt's wedding. The capacity of the White House required that under existing circumstances invitations be limited to the closest kinfolk, the personal friends of Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth, and certain classes of officials in Washington. No friends of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt are being asked unless they also come within one of these classes; and even with these limitations the number of guests threatens to overtax the capacity of the White House."

Mishap at the Proving Grounds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—A telephone message received at the navy department states that an accident occurred at the naval proving grounds, Indian Head, this morning, by which a part of the muzzle of a 12-inch gun was blown off. The gun had already fired a large number of rounds. No one was injured.

Many Drowned in Gold Mine.

JOHANNESBURG, TRANSVAAL, Feb. 9.—Fifty-five natives were drowned today owing to the flooding of South Rose, a deep gold mine.

TOWN NEARLY WIPED OUT

Business Section of Littleton, W. Va., Is Visited by a Destructive Fire.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., Feb. 9.—Fire broke out in the business section of Littleton, an oil town of about 1,500 inhabitants, this morning, and was not under control until late this evening. Both the Mannington and Cameron fire departments are now at the scene. The fire destroyed the following buildings: A. M. Crow's store, five dwellings, Baltimore & Ohio depot, Exchange bank, Methodist Episcopal church, Odd Fellows' hall, Commercial hotel, postoffice, Bank of Littleton, Anderson hotel, Christian church, Keffer's hotel, Bell Telephone Company's exchange, three stores and 10 dwellings.

Several buildings in the path of the flames were dynamited but on account of a strong wind the fire leaped across the track of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and consumed all the buildings on the east side. At 2:30 p. m. the Wheeling fire department was telephoned to send fire engines, but so far they had not reached Littleton. The water supply also gave out.

There was practically no insurance on the burned buildings, as the insurance companies refused to assume the risk. The loss is estimated at $200,000. No lives have been reported lost. This makes the second oil town in this county to be wiped out by fire within four months, Pine Grove having been visited by a $150,000 fire. The fire burned itself out. Hardly a business house or dwelling is standing in Main street.

FATAL POLITICAL FIGHT.

Georgia Factions Clash on Savannah Streets, Many Shots Being Fired. One Dead, Three Wounded.

SAVANNAH, GA., Feb. 9.—Political partisans of two local factions had a pistol fight this afternoon in front of the City exchange. "Babe" Dyer was killed; Frank Nagle, a bystander, was shot through the eye; Pat Kearney, a policeman off duty, was shot through the neck, and C. H. Dyer was shot twice through the legs.

"Snatcher" Dyer and Thomas Hewitt, a detective, are under arrest. Other prominent Savannahans participated. About 40 shots were fired. The battle started when the three Dyers became involved in a row with Plumbing Inspector Richard McKenna, one felling him with a billy. There had been a fight earlier in the day in the court house, where McKenna beat "Babe" Dyer with a billy.

Parisian to Paint Pittsburgher.

PALM BEACH, FLA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—A Benziger, a portrait painter of Paris, is here to paint the portrait of William P. Snyder of Pittsburgh. Mr. Snyder is occupying Surf villa with his family.

Committee Dines With President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—President Roosevelt entertained at dinner at the White House tonight in honor of the executive committee and officers of the Republican national committee.

PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR, NOTED NEGRO POET, DIES

DAYTON, O., Feb. 9.—Paul Laurence Dunbar, the poet of the negro race, died at his home this afternoon of consumption. For three years he has been seriously ill, and for a year critically ill, but he kept at his work intermittently, and wrote his last poem for his Christmas book, "Howdy, Honey, Howdy," just before Christmas.

PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR.

Mr. Dunbar is survived by his mother, his widow and two half-brothers, Robert and William Murphy. He will be buried in Woodland cemetery.

Mr. Dunbar, who was of pure African lineage and the descendant of several generations of slave ancestry, was born in Dayton, O., in 1872. The first literary work for which he was paid was a prose composition, bought by the Kellogg syndicate.

After leaving school he secured a position as elevator boy in Dayton. He collected a number of his poems under the title "Oak and Ivy." They were brought out and the author offered his wares to those whom he drew up and down. "The Uncalled For," his first long story, was a product of this period.

A poem published in a Boston magazine by Alice Ruth Moore had attracted his attention, and upon his return from abroad he made her acquaintance. An engagement followed, and the poet, who meanwhile had received an appointment in the Congressional library, returned to New York, where they were quietly married.

MR. JENKINSON OUTLINES PLANS

Tells South Side Voters What to Expect If Mayor's Mantle Should Fall on Him.

GREAT CROWD AT MEETING

The first Republican mass meeting of this campaign was held last night in Odd Fellows' Hall, South Eighteenth and Sarah streets. The ordinary meeting of ward workers at which Alexander M. Jenkinson has spoken have been crowded ever since he began his canvass, but this mass meeting was a revelation. Every seat was occupied, both downstairs and in the balcony, and in the side aisles there was hardly any more standing room.

The meeting was enthusiastic, too. Mr. Jenkinson has been making a personal canvass of the South Side, having met thousands of the voters there. Many of the men present last night had encountered him face to face. Among the faces in the gathering were many which have been familiar at Citizens-Democratic meetings during the last three years, but which are seen there no more. These men listened earnestly to Mr. Jenkinson, applauded his points frequently, and showed by their manner that they were convinced of his sincerity.

The meeting was opened by John Bradley, who introduced Dr. J. P. Kerr as the chairman of the meeting. Mr. Jenkinson was sitting on the platform when the meeting opened and when the Republican nominee for mayor stepped forward the applause was deafening. Mr. Jenkinson said:

Gives Heart-to-Heart Talk.

I am proud to come before you tonight as the Republican party's candidate for mayor after a preliminary contest in which 20,000 voters participated and in which I was opposed by an able and popular man, who demonstrated his strength and who is working loyally today for the success of his party in this campaign. I know that you are interested in the welfare of your city and its government or you would not be here tonight. You and I, therefore, can talk on a subject that interests us jointly.

Let us talk a little about this city government. You must remember that my platform in this campaign is not elaborate. I can give it to you in a very few words. I have pledged myself that I will conduct the city government just as any well-ordered business is conducted, honestly, with efficient help, and in an economical but progressive manner.

More than this I cannot promise you, and I do not think any right-thinking man would ask me to promise more. In fact, I rather suspect that the people of Pittsburgh have grown somewhat tired of the promises of our opponents in recent years that if this or that man was elected to a public office perfection would be brought into the city government. You and I have the same interest in this city government, and if you make me your chief executive it will be my constant endeavor to see that our interests have every care. This government of ours is a big business enterprise. You and I are stockholders, and if you make me the head of the concern it will be my duty to see that our business prospers.

Speaking of the water question, let me remind you that as citizens of the South Side you perhaps have more interest in the subject than the citizens living in other sections of the city. You get water from a private concern, which fixes its rates to keep abreast at least with the policy on the other side of the river, where the city is the purveyor of water at an exorbitant profit. It is all wrong. The municipality should furnish water at as nearly cost as is consistent with proper maintenance of the plant. If such were the case on the other side of the river your rates on this side would come down. Not content with the profit now being realized, the present city officials are installing water meters for domestic use, and, judging from the experience of those now using them, water rates are likely to be trebled. This is of vital interest to the renter as well as the property owner, for it means higher rents and increased cost of living. I am opposed to meters for domestic consumption. The water you drink should, in a sense, be as free as the air you breathe.

Square Deal for South Side.

Moreover, gentlemen of the South Side, this is a year, I believe, when under the terms of the contract with the Monongahela Water Company the city has the right of purchase. Why has the Democratic machine put aside this pressing question? What is to be done? Without entering into an extended discussion of the matter or saying how the citizens of this section are to be as highly favored as those of any other, I do want to say that in my administration there shall be no discrimination against the South Side people. I stand for a square deal. Every man shall have a fair hearing and honest treatment—no less and no more.

My campaign for mayor has been conducted in the open along lines of the greatest publicity. I am appealing to meet the people and let them judge of my character and the sincerity of my purpose. I have maligned no one and have not made a personal reference to anyone so far. My appeal is to the common sense and fairness of the people. All I want is an administration founded upon good sense, plain dealing and honest business methods. May I have your sympathy and your cordial support when you go as free men to the polls one week from next Tuesday?

Perry A. Shaner was the next speaker. Congressman A. J. Barchfeld, after reciting what the Republican party has done for the nation, urged that a Republican mayor be elected, as Greater Pittsburgh could not afford to have it spread broadcast over the country that this city had become Democratic.

Charles O'Brien delivered a strong speech. He showed how George W. Guthrie is being supported by E. M. Bigelow, and said that if Bigelow were supporting Mr. Jenkinson it would be worth 10,000 votes to Mr. Guthrie. In showing the conditions that now exist Mr. O'Brien said: "The police force is made up of the ragtag and bobtail of the city. The character of the police is such that many of the force have been tried before their own board on charges ranging from highway robbery to criminal assault. The police magistrates are a shame and disgrace to the administration that appointed them."

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, February 9.

Boston.—Caledonian, Liverpool.
St. John, N. B.—Lake Manitoba, Liverpool.
Liverpool.—Slavonia, New York.
Naples.—Prinzess Irene, New York.
Yokohama.—Empress of Japan, Vancouver for Hongkong.

Sailed, February 9.

Palermo.—Algeria, New York.
Genoa.—Brazile, New York.
London.—Maine, New York; Ammon, Seattle.
Queenstown.—Campania, New York for Liverpool.
Ponta Delgada.—Romanic, Boston for Gibraltar, Algiers, Genoa, Naples and Alexandria.
Plymouth.—Rotterdam, New York for Boulogne and Rotterdam.
Moville.—Numidian (from Liverpool), Halifax and St. John, N. B.

Passed, February 9.

Nieuwe Diep.—Philadelphia, Southampton and Cherbourg for New York.
Nantucket.—Lucania from Liverpool for New York; La Savoie, Havre for New York; Canonia, Genoa and Naples for New York.
Brow Head.—Campania, New York for Queenstown and Liverpool.
Lizard.—Manitou, Philadelphia for London and Antwerp; Rotterdam, New York for Plymouth and Rotterdam.
Fayal.—Koenigin Luise, New York for Gibraltar, Naples and Genoa.
Pastnet.—Cavic, New York for Liverpool.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Mr. Mansfield in "The Scarlet Letter," 2:15 p. m.; in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—Maclyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by the "Prince of Pilson Girls," 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

BELASCO—Madame Bernhardt in "Camille," 2:15 p. m.; in "Sapho," 8:15 p. m.

GAYETY—Bob Manchester's "Cracker-Jacks," burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"In Old Kentucky," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—Tom Waters in "Neighborly Neighbors," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Deloris, with the "Corsicans," burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, with music, morning, afternoon and evening.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Permanent collection exhibition, paintings and Nevinstone bronzes, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Fifth free organ recital, by Mr. William H. Oetting, invitation of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute, 8:15 p. m.

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DOLAN'S FIGHT GOES TO COURT

Enjoins 139 Delegates from Interfering With His Duties or Causing His Removal.

MITCHELL IS URGED TO COME

"Gentlemen: The sheriff of Allegheny county is here to serve an injunction."

With these words Sergeant-at-Arms Frank Feehan presented Sheriff's Deputies Harvey Lowrie, C. E. Swartwood and R. J. Gumbert to the convention of District 5, United Mine Workers of America, yesterday afternoon, who came to serve 139 subpoenas and restraining orders upon the assembled delegates.

The restraining orders were the result of a preliminary injunction obtained before Judge Fraser in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday morning by Patrick Dolan, asking that his duties as president of the local convention not be interfered with, and that no effort be made to remove him from office by the delegates. A hearing was set for 10 o'clock this morning. Attorneys representing Dolan were former Judge Edwin H. Stowe and Scandrett & Barnett.

As soon as the deputies were presented a riot seemed imminent. National Vice President T. L. Lewis pleaded that order be preserved and the officers of the law be permitted to discharge their duties.

Adjournment to Court House.

A delegate then moved that "we adjourn to meet in the court house at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning."

The motion was seconded, but declared out of order.

"The business of the convention must be done," demanded Dolan. "No, no, not at this time," came cries from all sides of the hall, but Dolan stood behind his restraining order and rapped and yelled for order, demanding a continuance of business. Feehan moved a suspension of the rules and adjournment, which Dolan again denied, and the wildest confusion reigned. Feehan appealed from the decision of the chair.

"Do what you please, this convention will continue to take up the business," yelled Dolan.

Lewis managed to be heard, and said: "In my judgment, it will be in order to suspend the rules to consider action as how to proceed against this preliminary injunction. I believe that such a motion is regular at this time, but I am not going to permit this convention to do something that is not regular."

Dodds Telegraphs to Mitchell.

Dolan stood corrected, and Feehan made the motion, which prevailed. He then moved that Lewis be authorized to wire National President Mitchell at once for instructions. Lewis suggested that the authority be given Secretary William Dodds, as he had already wired Mitchell. Lewis added that he had been ordered to leave the city and go to the Missouri field, where another strife was on.

"President Mitchell will have the facts and will be able to authorize some one here to employ counsel, and this must be done quickly."

Dodds was instructed to wire Mitchell to come at once, give advice, and order Lewis to remain.

"The further business of this convention will now be done," declared Dolan, and another volley of hisses, cries and denunciations came from all sides. "Say what you please, we'll be able to explain at the proper time," yelled Dolan over the tumult.

"You fellows better look out," announced Dolan. "I instruct the sergeant-at-arms to see that order be kept."

The report of the resolution committee was read, presenting resolutions from a number of locals denouncing Dolan and Bellingham, and demanding their removal. In turn, each one was deferred for action until this afternoon, Lewis suggesting that such action was inconsistent under the conditions, which forbade "interference with the duties of the president."

Several remarks were then made regarding contempt of court, but Dolan again arose in the saddle and said:

"Gentlemen, this contempt of court business will have to stop. Go on with the order of business."

More resolutions of condemnation were read and laid over until this afternoon, and the special committee appointed to provide for a new election was called upon to report. "I would like to have advice as to whether or not I am ready to report," announced Chairman-of-Committee Donovan. The committee withdrew and then the bitterest fight of the day was waged.

Call for Tellers' Report.

Dolan called for the report of the tellers on the last election, bearing on officers for 1906-07. According to a ruling made by the convention in the morning, the tellers' report was ordered to become the last business of the convention. With the report of the tellers the last business of the convention, the report of the special committee would be frozen out if the tellers' report prevailed, and they are bound to report Dolan's re-election, as he had no opponent on the official ballot.

"No, no, no, no!" came the thunderous roar from all sections of the room when Dolan made his demand.

"The tellers will make their report," insisted Dolan.

Scores of delegates arose on points of order, to move a suspension of the rules and to make other remarks, but the chair refused to recognize any one, and demanded the report of the tellers. Twice National Vice President Lewis attempted to gain recognition and failed. Finally he managed to say:

"Didn't you recognize a motion to suspend the rules?"

Dolan declared he hadn't put the motion, and was greeted by another bombardment of yells and cries of derision. Meanwhile Dolan had recognized Thomas Parton, a member of the tellers' committee, and insisted that he take the floor.

Committee Refuses to Report.

Parton arose and the convention was hushed to hear him. To the great surprise of everyone, he announced that the chairman, John Wilkes, was not present, and the committee would not report without him. A thunder of applause greeted the remarks and Dolan, plainly agitated, pounded his gavel for order and insisted: "The tellers' committee will make its report, if only I and one of the committee remain in this hall."

Lewis managed to gain recognition and said: "I am very sorry we get so angry, even though there be provocation. I believe everything is completed except the report of the special committee and the report of the tellers. I understood, this morning, that a motion was made and adopted that the tellers' report be the last order of business. If the special committee is not ready to report, it seems to me, and I hope the chairman will agree with me, if you have no other business to transact, a motion to suspend the rules and adjourn until tomorrow is in order.

Dolan Does Agree.

"The chair does agree," announced Dolan, and the motion was put and prevailed, to adjourn until 9 o'clock this morning, when a one-hour session will be held previous to meeting the argument on the temporary injunction in the court house.

The fight to oust Dolan on charges of betraying 25,000 miners in this district in voting contrary to instructions at the Indianapolis joint conference has sifted down to a fight between National President John Mitchell and Dolan. While the telegram was not read to the convention, it is known that Lewis received a message from Mitchell yesterday declaring he had no further instructions to give. His previous decision was that the convention had the power of removal.

THREE "BLACK HAND" SUSPECTS ARE HELD

MONONGAHELA, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—John Spida, Constantina Levi and Petro Tarachi, the alleged anarchists, received hearings before Mayor H. T. Billick today and were held for court under $500 bail each. A plea of not guilty was entered. The three men are charged with conspiracy against the state and with sending a "Black Hand" letter to Mrs. Lucy Pezzoni, January 18.

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BUT PERHAPS THE HOUSE THOUGHT HE WAS JOKING

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—Representative Hays of Butler for some reason thinks Israel G. Stone of Tioga, who was on the padded payroll of the insurance department, should have a gold medal. This resolution today became a part of the official record of the house:

"Resolved, That the house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do empower Samuel W. Pennypacker, governor of this commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to appoint a committee with power to act, to design a proper gold medal to be presented to Israel G. Stone, of Tioga county, Pa., in recognition of his honesty and integrity, said medal to be of solid gold, to cost not less than $50, and to be presented to him in presence of house of representatives and senate of Pennsylvania, jointly."

Of course, the house refused to pass the resolution.

COUNCILS MAKE RAPID STRIDE TO GREATER CITY

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ity with the law, the court has no alternative in ordering an election by giving 30 days' notice to the public.

After the petition is filed the court will appoint a civil engineer to mark by monuments on the ground the proposed boundaries of the consolidated city, which must be described in the petition.

The meeting of common council to pass the Greater Pittsburgh ordinance on Monday will fall on Lincoln's birthday, which is a national holiday, and the point was raised yesterday whether this would furnish cause for a legal objection by the opponents of annexation. Assistant Controller Morrow said it would not.

"Councils could meet on Sunday if they desired and pass a bill and it would be legal," said Mr. Morrow.

Allegheny Opponents Waiting.

If the petition is filed next Wednesday the hearing will take place before the court not later than March 6. If the court should issue an order on the same day for a special election the earliest possible time it could be held would be April 5. This would be after the new administrations of both Allegheny and Pittsburgh have gone into office. The new mayors of the two cities will take office April 3. Until that time the attitude of the Allegheny payroll toward annexation will remain in doubt. W. C. Gill, chairman of the "public defense committee" of Allegheny, which is promoting the opposition to the annexation, is disposed to allow matters to drift until after the election.

Controller Larkin, who stands as sponsor for the candidacy of George W. Guthrie for mayor, is not advocating a Greater Pittsburgh. The controller appeared at City hall yesterday and declared his dislike to the Greater Pittsburgh law, which his candidate, Mr. Guthrie, has been credited with being the joint author with David T. Watson.

Larkin Against Greater City.

In discussing the law yesterday the controller referred to it as Mr. Watson's, not once mentioning the name of Mr. Guthrie in connection with it. The controller declared he did not think the bill was constitutional because it does not give Allegheny a separate vote. He said while the law makes the controller of Allegheny the deputy controller of the Greater Pittsburgh, he would retain E. S. Morrow in his present position as assistant controller.

When annexation was proposed a year ago, under the first Cook bill, many of the aldermen of the city were opposed to it. This was particularly true of the downtown aldermen, because it was generally believed the first four downtown wards would be consolidated into one ward and this would eliminate three of the four aldermen. The second Cook law also provides that the ward lines of the two cities, when they become one, shall be changed, and this means a consolidation of wards so they will not exceed 40 in number.

Alderman S. J. Toole, whose future tenure of office is at stake, says he will not allow this to interfere with his support of the Greater Pittsburgh movement. "I am for a Greater Pittsburgh," said he. "If the downtown wards are consolidated I will take my chance for re-election with other candidates."

PRIMARY REFORM BILL IS IN DANGER

May Fail of Passage, Owing to Dissensions Among Supporters of Plan.

GOVERNOR SHOWS ANXIETY

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—Uniform primary legislation may fail of passage. The situation today is serious and the administration is anxious. It may be necessary for Gov. Pennypacker to send a special message to the legislature on the subject and an extension of the session beyond February 15 is more than a possibility.

The senate today jammed through a bill on final passage and then concurred with the house resolution to adjourn on February 15. Many of the senators did not even have an opportunity to read the legislation and several Republicans declined to vote. In the house the situation is critical. There are a number of members who do not desire any bill and the others are divided on the kind they want. Unless harmony can be secured the most interesting fight of the meeting will be on this legislation. With just four days of the session remaining, there are numerous ways of defeating the bill through delay.

Gov. Pennypacker is taking a keen interest in the matter and has intimated he would endeavor to keep the legislature here until it passes a bill. He is now working on a bill. Representative Sheatz of Philadelphia, who is father of the proposed act, was in conference with Pennypacker this afternoon. The executive agreed to an amendment which will make the law operative 60 days after its approval. The senate bill put through today, makes the legislation effective January 1, 1907. Sheatz says he will not agree to this. Numerous senators will not agree to anything else.

Arranging Plan of Action.

Sheatz is being coached by E. A. Van Valkenburg of Philadelphia, who is staying right on the ground. Van Valkenburg wants the 60-day clause. This has aroused the suspicions of the stalwart Republicans. They think the aspiring state boss has some hidden purpose in his desire for this amendment, as well as in his great activity in behalf of the legislation.

Van Valkenburg has arranged for a conference at the office of Senator Fox in Harrisburg at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. The gathering is to be attended by Van Valkenburg and Sheatz, Senator White of Beaver, Bromley Wharton, private secretary to the governor, Senator Fox, John Raeburn White of Philadelphia, and several others. At this meeting an effort will be made to agree on a bill and plan of procedure.

The senate bill passed today bears the name of Senator White, although it is practically the Sheatz measure. The plan of the senate is to have it to take the place of the Sheatz bill in the house. Naturally Sheatz does not like this. He does not believe it is fair, but says he will not stand in the way of the substitution if that is the only way to secure the passage of the legislation. He wants the legislature to remain here another week so that a satisfactory bill can be put through. There are other members who want delay. The Democrats will be found advocating this and some legislators are talking about an adjournment on March 1.

Sheatz Willing to Chance It.

The Sheatz bill is on the second reading calendar of the house and will be reached Monday night unless tactics are employed to cause delay. This could be accomplished by the presentation of numerous resolutions, followed by debate. Representative Snyder of Schuylkill admits he will try to prolong the debate in the hope of preventing final action on senatorial apportionment. If the Sheatz bill is passed on second reading on Monday and finally in the house on Tuesday, it will have to be sent to the senate, where three readings are required. This would necessitate the reading of it at first time on Tuesday night. Such action would require unanimous consent, and it is doubtful if it could be secured. One objection would prevent the bill getting through by February 15. The senate elections committee could also fail to meet Tuesday and this would kill the legislation.

The safest plan is to substitute the White bill in the house, after it and the Sheatz measure have been made identical and reach the same position on the calendar. If this plan is followed Sheatz will on Monday night ask the house to give unanimous consent to allow the bill to be read a first time. He is hopeful he can secure this privilege, but is not certain. If he fails the chance of passing the measure on the day of final adjournment will have to be taken or the session lengthened.

Cummings Grows Wroth.

Senator Cummings of Warren is angry about the haste used in passing the White bill this morning. He says: "It has been the most unprincipled thing happening during my service in the senate. We were given no opportunity to examine the legislation. The bill was called for final action while the assistant sergeants-at-arms were placing copies of the bill on our desk. My protest was unavailing. I refused to soil my hands by touching the job, and declined to vote for the bill. At the same time I am earnestly for uniform primaries, but want to know something about the legislation. The senate should have remained here tomorrow so the subject would have been given decent consideration."

Senators Sisson, Freeland, Grim and McPherson also declined to vote. The bill was passed by a vote of 29 to 5. It was supported by all of the Allegheny senators, save Goebring, who was absent. Miller, Stober and Heidelbaugh, Republicans, voted against the bill.

Sheatz says at the Monday conference it will be determined whether the use of the word "elections" makes the bill unconstitutional. The term "primary nominations" will probably be used.

In the house this morning, Beidleman of Dauphin moved to discharge the elections committee from further consideration of the McClain primary bill. The house was almost unanimous in its declination. This shows how things have changed, when it is mentioned Beidleman was acting for McClain, who, as chairman of the elections committee, has been unable to get his own bill out.

McClain No Longer Leads.

He sat silent while the house roared its disapproval. The legislators have ceased to recognize McClain as a leader. He has not been considered sincere in the fight for uniform primary legislation, and his committee has refused to follow him. Now McClain is predicting no bill will be passed. His open opposition would make many votes for the legislation.

"Farmer" Creasy says tonight he will fight the primary bill until he gets his amendment to allow the use of envelopes and have the tickets distributed in advance of the primaries, so a voter can mark his ballot at home. Sheatz says he will fight the amendment.

The opponents of senatorial apportionment tried to defeat the bill in the house today on third reading. The measure was reached about noon, when many members had started for their trains. The opponents all remained. Hitchcock, who had charge of the bill, moved to adjourn. A roll call was demanded and the house was adjourned until Monday night by a vote of 91 to 69. With a full attendance there will be no trouble to pass the bill. It may be called up Monday night.

The following bills passed finally:

Providing for personal registration in third-class cities.

Providing for the assessment of poll taxes in cities of the first and second class.

Postage Stamp Allowance.

When the bill providing for the payment of the expenses of the extra session was raised for final passage, Mr. Plummer of Blair moved to go into committee of the whole for the purpose of striking out the item allowing senators and representatives $100 each for postage stamps. The motion failed, after which the bill was passed.

The house bills fixing the salary of the insurance commissioner at $6,000 a year and the secretary of the commonwealth at $8,000, passed finally in the senate today.

The house resolution fixing next Thursday for final adjournment was concurred in. The Jackson bill regulating the state deposits was taken up for second reading. Mr. Calpin of Lackawanna moved to amend by requiring the state funds to be loaned to the highest bidders, after advertising for bidders. Mr. Dewalt of Lehigh said the only way to put a stop to depositing the public funds in "favored banks" was to provide for competitive bidding.

The amendment and an amendment to increase the interest on state deposits from 2 to 2½ per cent. were rejected. The bill then passed second reading, after which the senate adjourned until Monday evening.

The house has adopted a resolution asking the governor to call an extra session at the close of the present session for consideration of legislation permitting trolley companies to carry freight.

UPHOLDS THE MERCHANT.

Interesting Address on "Commerce" Before the Oakland Board of Trade.

The Oakland board of trade was addressed last evening by Prof. Henry Hornbostel of the Carnegie Technical schools, on "Commerce." Mr. Hornbostel is a free-trader and does not believe in one country fixing laws that will allow it to send its products to another but will not allow the entrance of foreign products. He held that the merchant should be looked up to in the same way as a professional man and should not be regarded as a mere convenience.

Following the address last evening the board held a lengthy discussion on the Greater Pittsburgh bill. Col. A. J. Logan made an address on the contents of the bill and the effect it will have on the two cities.

Miss Letitia Jane Lacock Dead.

Miss Letitia Jane Lacock, a member of one of the old Allegheny families, died yesterday morning of pneumonia. She had lived for upward of 60 years in the Second ward, Allegheny, till last spring, when Mrs. Robert H. Park, her sister, with whom she made her home, moved to the corner of Marlboro and California avenues. The deceased is survived by her sister and her two brothers, George N. and Andrew J. Lacock. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Park. The interment will be in Uniondale cemetery. Miss Lacock was for a number of years an active member of Christ Episcopal church. For many years she spent her winters either in Denver or in the southern pines of the Carolinas.

Beer Check in Cow's Stomach.

WELLSVILLE, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Justice of the Peace Johnson of Washingtonville had a cow that became so ill that he finally had it killed. Jones had noted that in the matter of diet the cow was indiscriminate. He employed a butcher to perform an autopsy. In the cow's stomach were found a handful of nails and a beer check on a Massillon saloon.

KIRSCHLER GETS NOISY RECEPTION

The Republican Candidate Addresses Monster Meeting in So-Called Logan Stronghold.

ATTORNEY M'GARY'S CHARGE

A meeting of Republicans was held in the Sherman avenue Second ward school, Allegheny, last night, and the way in which voters packed into the hall and crowded the lobbies, unable to get into the auditorium, bespeaks the interest that is being taken in the mayoralty fight. The Second is the biggest ward in the city. In its 14 election precincts are 14 churches, one for each district. For this reason the Logan party managers are predicting a good majority in the ward for their candidate.

Candidate Kirschler got a very noisy demonstration and responded with a brief, forceful speech.

Maj. A. M. Hay, a veteran of the civil war, presided. Attorney William H. McGarry made the principal address and got a thunder of applause. He said in part:

"The present political disturbance in Allegheny can be attributed to John Marron, who conducted the recent graft crusade."

William J. Burke, grand trustee of the Order of Railway Conductors, made a speech full of appeal to the organized labor of Allegheny.

Attorney Harry S. Lydick referred to the platform of George B. Logan, the Good Government candidate, saying in part: "It has long been a rule in political campaigning that a candidate is bound by the utterances made in his presence by those speakers who act for his cause, unless he at once disavow the statements. Col. Sheldon Potter, in the presence of Mr. Logan, said to an audience that the Good Government party of this city would be unable to drive the social evil out of town, but would only be able to keep it within prescribed localities. As all these days have passed since that utterance and Mr. Logan has made no denial that statement must be his platform on the house of ill-fame."

Mr. Kirschler's address differed little from those he has been making. He asked that the voters of the city read his platform. The provisions of it he said would be carried out faithfully should he be elected. He said he did not wish to be known as a rabid reformer who would inaugurate fanatic reforms to please a certain element that is always dissatisfied. The evils that demand correction he asserted would get his attention and would be eradicated as they should be from any Christian community. The other speakers were Elliott Rodgers, Louis K. White and the Rev. Donald MacGregor.

While the meeting was in progress some one set fire to a big Republican banner that was stretched across Sherman avenue.

YOUTH SAVES MINERS AFTER AN EXPLOSION

Coolest Head in Shaft Is That of Boy. Six Bodies Recovered and Twelve Missing.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 9.—The death list from the explosion at the Paral mine of the Stuart colliery in Fayette county yesterday will not be so large as was feared. Six bodies were recovered, 12 men were rescued and 12 more are still in the mine. The latter have probably succumbed to gas and foul air which filled the mine for hours after the explosion. Hope of finding them alive has been abandoned. Late tonight the rescuing party was still making a search.

The dead taken out are: Joseph Lumley, James Hunter, John Pratt, Hans Scovoder and two negroes.

Pratt was the 19-year-old son of the mine foreman. Lumley and Hunter were Englishmen recently arrived. Both leave families in England.

Those rescued are: Robert Featherglll, Judson Carter, Robert Pratt, Irving Riggs, Donald Ball, Charles Matthews, Herman Calloway, Jule Neal, Mike Tznick, Roman Kalinsky, J. Kimel, J. Fitzgerald.

The ventilating fan was wrecked by the explosion and had to be repaired and put in motion to clear out the gas before the rescuing party could go into the mine. The party found the 12 survivors huddled together in the entry west of the air shaft.

The coolest one of the band was Robert Pratt, the 19-year-old son of the mine foreman. The boy took charge of his terror-stricken companions and after telling them to extinguish their lamps to prevent a second explosion led them to a point as near the western air shaft as they could get.

All the dead were found east of the air shaft.

The property damage will be great. The average depth of the mine is 700 feet.

DESTROY CHURCHES.

Chinese Mob Riots, but Strangely Spares American Mission—Foreign Loss Placed at $50,000.

PEKIN, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Amoy today confirms the report of the destruction of the English Presbyterian and Roman Catholic missions at Changpu, 20 miles from Amoy, by a mob described as having been composed of Boxers. The damage amounts to $50,000.

The American missions were uninjured. Feeling is hostile and it is considered strange that the American missions were not molested.

PLENTY OF CASH FOR MANY PERSONS

Big New List of Calls for Return of "Lucky Pieces" Will Appear in Sunday's Gazette.

$100 REWARD STILL GOOD

Looks as if nobody wants that $100. It's been nearly a week since the number of that "Lucky Piece" was announced, but as yet no one has claimed the big reward. The "Lucky Piece" bearing that number has been lost. It should have been found long ago and the owner of it ought to know enough to come and get the money. But perhaps the holder has not seen the call for its return, so in next Sunday's Gazette the number will be repeated.

As if that $100 reward isn't enough, a long new list of calls will be given. One hundred and fifteen in all, and the rewards aggregate $250. So there's plenty more luck hanging around loose and "Lucky Piece" holders are going to profit. To be certain of not missing the call for the return of their "Lucky Piece," every possessor of a good luck disc ought to get a copy of The Sunday Gazette. Your carrier or newsdealer will supply you, if you speak to him about it.

It's a perfect shame about that hundred plunks, though. It was lost long ago, the money is here awaiting its return and somebody's got to take it. You know how very handy that extra cash would be to you and you know that it isn't often so large an amount is hanging around loose waiting for some one to claim it.

There is a possibility that the "Lucky Piece" may not have yet been found. It is also possible that the owner may not have seen the number when it was announced. It wouldn't be a bad idea to hunt around in the snow, for you might accidentally dig up that bit of aluminum which may be exchanged for gold, or bank notes or silver. The number of this "Lucky Piece" will be given in The Sunday Gazette, repeated for the benefit of those who may not have seen the call before, and in addition that extensive list of valuable new awards will be published. You simply can't afford to miss the lists or The Sunday Gazette as a whole. Tell your carrier or newsdealer to put you on the list. That $100 may belong to you.

AGED WOMAN FOUND GUILTY.

Convicted of Killing Grandchild Soon After Birth—Jury Commended by Judge for Verdict.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—Sarah Jones, a 70-year-old woman, was convicted of murder in the first degree today for the killing of her foster daughter's child within a few hours after it was born.

Mrs. Mary Jones, the mother of the dead child and Frank Jones, the son of the aged woman, are under indictment. When the child was born the grandmother asked the attending physician to chloroform the baby. The doctor notified the police and an investigation showed the child had been drugged.

The jury was out all afternoon. Judge Ralston, in discharging the jury, said their verdict was a proper one, however painful it had been for them to act. He had no doubt, he said, that the circumstances may be such as to appeal to the pardon board to commute the sentence of death to imprisonment.

"MON DIEU, C'EST GRANDE!"

Mme. Bernhardt Visits the Homestead Plants After Midnight and Sees New Stage Effects.

Sarah Bernhardt, the Divine, notwithstanding her 62 years and that she has been alternating one-night stands with two performances a day in the cities, is not easily fatigued. She proved that last night. Immediately after the curtain fell on "La Tosca," although she had given an afternoon performance of "Adrienne Lecouvreur," with the leading members of her troupe and her personal entourage she boarded a special trolley car and made a tour of the Carnegie works at Homestead. The party returned to the Hotel Schenley at 3:30 this morning.

Mme. Bernhardt is strong on stage effects, but she almost collapsed when she realized how impossible it was to give such a vivid representation of the nether regions as presented by the armor plate and other plants. The shoulder shrugs of the tourists nearly shook the car off the track, and their sharp exclamations tore holes in its rich hangings.

"Mon Dieu, c'est grande!" sighed Mme. Bernhardt, as she threw the draperies of her couch about her at 4 o'clock this morning.

FUMES FROM GAS STOVE KILLS NORMAN H. SMITH

Norman H. Smith, aged 24, was found dead in his room at his home, 3622 Fifth avenue, by his brother Samuel, yesterday morning. He had been reading and fell asleep, and death resulted from asphyxiation, gas escaping from a small stove which was fed by a rubber hose. He was born in Titusville. He is survived by his wife, his mother, one sister, Mrs. T. Moxon of Salida, Col., and his brother, Samuel.

Wires Senator Spooner.

In accord with instructions given him during a meeting held in the Fourth Avenue Baptist church Wednesday night, former Congressman H. Kirke Porter yesterday telegraphed Senator John C. Spooner of the senate committee on foreign affairs, asking that congress take some action toward suppressing the hideous atrocities being perpetrated against the natives of Kongo Free State, Africa.

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LINDSAY FLAYS C. F. KIRSCHLER

Allegheny Minister Attacks Reputation of Republican Mayoralty Candidate.

TWO WORKERS ARE ILL

A meeting of Allegheny women was held yesterday afternoon in the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church in the interests of the Logan campaign. The novelty of engaging in politics in a practical manner has aroused considerable interest among the women of the North Side, and perhaps 500 gathered in the church. Mrs. Hugo Rosenburg, who was to preside, became ill yesterday morning and was not present. The chair was filled by Mrs. N. Wiley Stevenson, who spoke briefly on the danger of existing vice in the lower wards.

The Rev. Dr. Lindsay talked along lines somewhat similar to what he offered at the woman's meeting last week. Most of his speech was directed at Charles F. Kirschler, the Republican candidate. The latter, according to Dr. Lindsay, is not a fit man to hold the office of chief executive of the city. Attack was made upon Mr. Kirschler, whom Dr. Lindsay says "is a machine politician, a councilman who favors corporations, and a man who has not proper views on the ethics of virtue." In the words of the speaker, Mr. Kirschler "does not measure up to the vanity of the city."

Attorney John Marron reviewed the graft crusade in which he was the principal figure. The Rev. Charles F. Wishart spoke on the duty of the church concerning politics. He urged the active participation of all women in the campaign, declaring that Allegheny was without virtue, and needed this more than she needed politics. Miss Alice B. Montgomery, who was billed as the principal speaker, sent word she had duties elsewhere and could not be present. Candidate Logan spoke of his boyhood and his long residence in Allegheny, and reiterated his promises on good government.

The Fourth ward Logan party is crippled at present. City Treasurer A. L. Robinson and his brother, Councilman John W. Robinson, are unfit for active work just now, and it is not known when either will be able to again take up the strenuous duties incident to the campaign. Both went to Harrisburg some time ago to work for Greater Pittsburgh. Immediately upon returning the city treasurer was taken to a Pittsburgh hospital, suffering from nervous collapse, and Councilman Robinson, afflicted with the same ailment, is not able to be out of the house.

Political dissension in the Wyman official family has caused trouble in the city assessors office. Chief Assessor O. A. Gayley has gone along with Director McIlvain and City Solicitor Porter and is an avowed Logan man. The other assessors are working for Charles F. Kirschler, the Republican candidate. Because of this political division in the office Chief Gayley announced to Clerk Charles Bepler that his services were no longer needed and his absence from the office would be appreciated. Bepler immediately called upon Mayor Wyman, and the latter told Bepler to return to the assessors' office and go to work.

FEEDS HUNGRY BOYS, WHO RESPOND BY ROBBING HER

Mrs. Harry Seiger of 148 Auburn street, was busily engaged with her household duties yesterday when the door bell rang. Answering the ring she found two lads who asked for work. She took them in and gave the pair a hearty meal, and soon after they had left the house, Mrs. Seiger discovered they had taken a chatelaine bag containing a gold watch worth $50, and $5 in money. The same boys are thought to have entered the residence of Mrs. Ida Rupert, 155 Auburn street, shortly after leaving the Seiger residence. A pair of gold earrings, two gold rings and a brooch were stolen from the Rupert home.

ALLEGHENY IS LOWEST IN STATE

County Tax Levy Will Be 1 1-2 Mills and Will Include Unusual Expenditures.

EXPECT TO CLEAR OLD DEBT

The Allegheny county tax levy for 1906 has been fixed by the county commissioners at 1½ mills, the same as last year, making this county again rank lowest in tax rate in the state. County Commissioners Price and Campbell made a careful estimate before arriving at this rate, but found it possible, notwithstanding the budget for 1906 contains some large items of unusual character that it is proposed to meet out of the ordinary tax levy.

Not another county in Pennsylvania, with the exception of Lehigh, has a rate under 2 mills, and that rate of 1 4-5 mills does not include school or county road tax. Of course, the school tax rate of ¾ mills and the road tax of ½ mill are not included in the county tax levy, but all other counties, the figures for which were furnished by Isaac B. Brown, secretary of internal affairs, also exclude these levies from the county tax levy. The big majority are above 5 mills, while Cameron has a levy of 17 mills this year, Luzerne 13, Carbon 11, and Forest, Huntingdon, Sullivan and Susquehanna have a rate of 10 mills each. Philadelphia, which is included in the city of Philadelphia, has a rate of 4 mills, exclusive of its road or school tax. Several others have over 8 mills, and Cumberland, Erie and Chester are the only other counties under 3 mills.

The last of the riot bonds, amounting to $364,500, matured on January 1, and have been paid out of the current funds, there having been no sinking fund provided for these bonds.

In October a series of court house bonds amounting to $497,500 become due, and in this case also there is no sinking fund with which to meet them. It is proposed to pay off this debt, too, from the current tax levy, making a total extinction of old debt during 1906 of $862,000. The obligations contracted in 1905 for the purchase of the Perrysville and Butler plank roads, amounting to $115,000, fell due in 1906 and will be paid out of the current tax levy.

There is also included in the estimated expenditures of 1906 an item of $225,000 for finishing the jail extension. For this new work there was a bond issue in 1905 of $500,000, it being then, as it is now, the intention to pay the remaining cost of this work out of the current receipts of the county. It would, of course, be perfectly justifiable to meet the whole of this construction expense by a bond issue, but if the current receipts of Allegheny county, including the refundings of state taxes, continue on the present scale it may not be necessary to increase the indebtedness for the jail extension beyond the amount of the bonds already issued.

In addition to the general tax levy there is a special tax of ½ mill to meet the interest and the sinking fund requirements of the road bonds, and there will be the usual poor tax of ¾ mill, applicable to boroughs and townships only.

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$450 Hardman pianos, now.....360
$500 Hardman pianos, now.....400
$500 Steinway pianos, now.....285
$500 Chickering pianos, now.....400
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Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12:35 pm	* 8:35 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua	* 9:00 am	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	*12:35 pm	† 8:55 pm
Lake Chautauqua, Fast Line	*12:35 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 5:00 pm	*10:00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex	* 2:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special	* 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:15 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo Express	*10:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleveland Night Express	*11:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Local	† 5:20 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 6:45 am	† 5:25 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 1:10 pm	† 9:20 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 5:30 pm	†12:10 pm
New Castle Local	†11:55 am	† 4:15 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:25 pm	† 7:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 5:30 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Beaver Valley Local	† 9:00 pm	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Haven Ex	† 8:00 am	† 8:00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	*11:50 am	*12:40 am
Brownsville & New Haven	* 3:30 pm	* 4:30 pm
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JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Saturday, February 10, '06. | Weather—Fair. | Penn Ave. and Fifth St.

16-Button Black Kid Gloves, $2.50.
12-Button Black Kid Gloves, $2.00.

We had several hundred pairs of the 16-button length kid gloves, black, in our special sale last Monday, and it is hardly necessary to state that they were sold out before 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Long length kid gloves are the scarcest things in the country.

However, luck was on the side of our Glove Department, and there arrived late last evening a generous lot of both 12-button length and 16-button length in black.

As a matter of fact they are what you might call a glace mousquetaire glove and both the color and the length just now make up the most faddish glove that can be worn.

The 16-button length is worth $3.75, the 12-button length is worth $3.00—note what we do for you in the way of quoting special prices.

Arm Garters for Long Gloves.

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Well, they are just the prettiest things that ever was, and our Ribbon Department is prepared to make them up any way you suggest and in any color. They help along mightily the short sleeve and the long glove where they converge a short distance below the elbow.

At all events call at the Ribbon Counter today and see the new idea.

Special Sale of Flowers.

Knowing the prospective demand for artificial flowers we had our Paris house send us over a great lot. We had these flowers made up before Fashion pronounced in favor of flowers, and the result is that these beautiful Paris Flowers will be given to you today for less than one-half their real value. Look the list over and think how nicely you can make your Winter hat take on a Spring look.

Crushed Roses, three in a bunch, nice large clusters, white, pink, Alice blue, tea—74c and $1.00 values—today, a bunch.....50c

Single Roses, with foliage, pink, old rose, white and other beautiful shades, worth $1.00 and $1.50, today, each.....50c

Moss Roses, the newest thing out, as fine a bit of ornamentation as ever went on a hat, worth $1.00 and $1.50, each.....50c

Dainty small light blue Roses, also in pink, old rose, white, large single roses in all colors, regular $1.50 goods, today.....75c

American Beauties and La France Roses, Alice blue, old rose and other tints, including rosebud effects, $2.00 goods, today.....$1.00

To facilitate matters, and to make choosing easy, the foregoing will be displayed in separate cases clearly marked so that you can practically help yourself.

Would You Like to Have Better Shirts?

Perhaps you have been wearing shirts that do not fit you properly around the neck. Perhaps you have been wearing sleeves that are too short and your cuffs refuse to show properly outside your coat sleeves. Perhaps your shirts have been tight around the chest or catch at the sleeve holes. There are lots of things about ordinary shirts made-to-order to worry and fret a man when he doesn't feel right in them.

For twenty years we have been making shirts to order for some of the most particular men in Pittsburgh. We have been pleasing them so well that the first man who gave us an order is still buying his shirts of us every season.

We have especialy favorable facilities for getting fabrics, and have such a line as you will not find anywhere else, in madras, cheviot, flannel, silk and linen.

The work is under charge of thorough experts, and we guarantee to you shirts that will fit you perfectly and satisfy you in every way, and continue to fit you through long and satisfying wear.

If not convenient for you to come to the store, we will send a competent man with samples and to take measurements if you like the prospects.

Prices, Colored Shirts, $2.00 to $7.00.
Prices, White Shirts, $1.50 to $6.00.

Newest Neckwear for Women.

The belongings of the feminine neck are appearing in all the glory of Spring and are meeting with a cordial reception. More pretty things than we care to recount, but we must mention a few:

New Japanese Embroidered Collars—cuffs to match—assorted styles, at $2.25 a set.

New soft Mull, Lace and Linen Sets, attractive designs in variety of shapes, 50c a set, and up to $12.00.

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New Washable Stocks, combination plaid silk scarf attached, 50c each.

New Ruchings, made of crepe lace, net lace and chiffon, 25c a yard and up to 75c.

SPECIAL TABLE—Women's Washable Stocks, Beaded Stocks, Fancy Chiffon Stocks, Chemisettes, Top Collars, 6 neck lengths of ruching in box, worth 50c, choice 25c each.

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More ribbons are going to be worn the coming Spring than ever before—millinery will draw on them, so will girdles, sashes, bows, so will all sorts of trimmings.

Our late importations show floral, gold, silver, Dresden, warp prints and black and white effects. Included are some of the handsomest designs ever brought to America. Prices range 50c a yard and up to $4.50.

Warp Print, Dresden and Novelty Ribbons—5, 6, 7 inches wide—worth 75c and 85c a yard, special at 50c a yard.

Satin Taffeta and double Satin Ribbon—7 inches wide—assorted colors—worth 75c, special at 35c a yard.

4 and 5-inch Warp Print Ribbon, 6-inch Satin Taffeta, 6-inch Mousseline, 6-inch plain Taffeta, 6-inch Ombre Taffeta—assorted colors—worth 35c and 40c, choice today, a yard.....25c

A Handkerchief Bargain for Women.

The caption is in the singular, but there is more than one bargain.

First, on center table, 8th aisle, women's sheer linen unlaundered hand-embroidered block initial Handkerchiefs for 12½c each. If they had been washed and ironed you would have gladly paid us 25c for them.

Women's sheer linen handkerchiefs in different designs such as blocks, bars, embroidered centers, hemstitched effects, worth 35c, 40c and 50c; special today at each.....25c

Raincoats for Women.

At $5.00 formerly $10.00 and up to $15.00
At $10.00 formerly $16.50 and up to $30.00

And to think there is no inanimate companion like the raincoat—a rainy day coat, a sunshiny day coat, a shedder of rain, a shedder of dust, a pretty good sort of an overcoat for cold weather. In this sort of weather, highly commendable as a protection for dresses, always a protector of fine gowns that grace special occasions.

The line of raincoats from which you choose today will be in the colors of tan, oxford, olive and brown mixed cloths. Also a few invisible checks in gray.

First choice will be $10.00, and at this price the coats will be from groups that sold for $16.50 and on up to $30.00.

Second choice will be $5.00, and at this price the coats will be from groups that sold for $10.00 and on up to $15.00. Choice will also be only in tan and olive.

A Bevy of New Books Worth Reading.

In all cases the publisher's price is $1.50, our special price, $1.08. The first two books we ask attention to are

DOUBLE TROUBLE. By Herbert Quirk. Double your delight and divide your trouble by reading Double Trouble. It is a charming story.

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The other $1.08 books are given without comment—each and all are worthy of a close reading.

The Angel of Pain. By E. F. Benson.
The Wheel of Life. By Ellen Glasgow.
The Arncliffe Mystery. By Gordon Holmes.
Barbara Winslow, Rebel. By Elizabeth Ellis.
In Old Bellaire. By Mary Dillon.
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that seldom are mentioned in advertisement. All ready whenever required in our Men's Furnishing Department:

Bed Socks, lamb's wool, fleeced, $2.00 and $2.50 a pair.
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Wristlets, wool, 35c and 50c a pair; silk, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 a pair.
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Dr. Jaeger's Knee Warmers, all wool, small, 85c; medium, $1.05; large, $1.25.
Sock Forms, for drying wool stocks to keep them from shrinking, 34c a pair.

Girls' Winter Coats—Prices Around the Half Line.

We here declare that it is a shame to sell some of these coats for the money quoted as reduced prices. But when it comes time for cleaning up lots there is no mercy shown the value of the goods. They must find new owners, and we do not dawdle along clipping a bit here and clipping a bit there, but give at the very outset one great big swish and let it go at that. Note what is rehearsed below—

Girls' Winter Coats of cheviot, in gray, brown, blue and in all wool mixtures—sizes 6 years and up to 14—from groups that sold for $7.50 and $8.50 and $10.00, today at.....$5.00

Girls' Winter Coats of cheviots and mannish cloths, also covert cloth—sizes 14, 16, 18 years—at $10.00 reduced from $15.00; at $12.00 reduced from $18.00; at $15.00 reduced from $20.00.

In this connection we will also have on sale today two-piece serge Dresses for girls from 6 to 14 years—blue, brown, red—prettily trimmed with braid, at $5.00, reduced from $8.50.

St. Valentine Candy Novelties.

At the Candy Section, fifth aisle, any number of novelties for Valentine Day.

Heart-shaped Candy Boxes, all sizes, various colors, 10c and up to 50c.
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Saturday, February 10, 1906.

The director of public safety is displeased, we are told, because the Republican candidate for mayor, in the course of his vigorous campaign, called at the fire engine houses and in a manly way solicited support. This is not surprising. Mr. Jenkinson's methods of campaigning are as displeasing to his political opponents as they are gratifying to his supporters. They are characterized by a spirit of energy and enterprise that promises well for his administration of the high office which he is to occupy. Mr. Jenkinson's words have the stamp of sincerity. Most emphatically has he "made good."

President Castro's preparations to resist France present a brave appearance on paper, but they will be useless even in enabling him to conduct a war of a few days, if he cannot place reliance on his people. There are strong indications of growing disaffection not only among civilians, but among the military. Compulsory enlistment has not proved popular, and it is said that Castro, in raising and arming his force for national defense, has really forged a weapon for his enemies of the revolutionary party, for the army is to be turned against him at the first opportunity. Loyalty in South American republics is an extremely variable virtue.

With a sigh of resignation the Cleveland Leader declares: "It must be admitted that Cleveland has dropped back a point in the list of American cities. Baltimore, Buffalo, Cincinnati, San Francisco and Cleveland are all dropped behind the great center of the steel industry. Cleveland has practically no chance of catching Pittsburgh before the next federal enumeration. The best that is in prospect for this city now is to hold its own in the list of American municipalities." If Cleveland is to retain seventh place, she must pass Baltimore. Pittsburgh will watch the race of her less fleet sisters with interest, but without anxiety.

Indications of a general agreement by the powers represented at the Moroccan conference will be received with no little satisfaction, especially since failure to adjust the important matters which inspired the conference might seriously menace the peace of Europe. France, if is reported, is to be awarded control of the Moroccan police, subject to international supervision. This was a chief bone of contention. The mills of diplomacy, like those of the gods, grind leisurely, but the delegates should be able to settle the remaining matters for consideration before long and return to their homes, which will be the signal for a sigh of relief from all the interested nations.

Select council's action yesterday in adopting the minority report of the special committee appointed to investigate the light question is a step toward securing a square deal for the city in its relations with the Allegheny County Light Company, but the action did not go far enough. The Brand resolution, calling upon the mayor and director of public works to secure the service plainly stipulated by the company's franchise ordinance, should have been moved and adopted. This is a vital matter to the taxpayers who foot the bills. As set forth in the minority report, and as everybody knows, the city has been grossly overcharged, which is fresh proof for the necessity of a business administration of municipal affairs such as Mr. Jenkinson promises and which the community knows he will render.

Secretary Taft's request for an appropriation to be expended upon additional barracks for the army near Manila, assigning as a reason the disturbed conditions in China which might necessitate the landing of troops some day, has started the jingoes to predicting immediate war with China. Trade conditions with China are undoubtedly in a most unsatisfactory state at present, but this is not entirely referable to the "American boycott," which is but one manifestation of the anti-foreign policy. The extreme anti-foreign sentiment which has arisen in China is affecting the trade also of other nations. There are other remedies rather than a resort to arms, and the nations interested should be able to point the Chinese authorities to their plain duty. The American people are not pining for war.

The Democrats' Scheme.

On the 9th of November, 1904, Alton B. Parker, who had just been defeated for the presidency, issued an address to the Democratic party in which he used the following language:

When that time comes the people will turn to the Democratic party for relief, and the party should be ready—ready with an organization of citizens covering every election district, who are willing to work for a love of the cause—an organization supported by as many town, city, county and state officers as we are able to elect in the meantime.

If this means anything, it means that the Democratic party is to be reorganized on a spoils basis—that the local offices are first to be captured, and, using these as a base, the party will then move forward to state and national control. The nomination of George W. Guthrie for mayor of Pittsburgh is the direct outcome of Judge Parker's advice. Once entrenched in the city, the power of city patronage will be used to broaden and extend Democratic influence throughout the entire country. The non-partisan government so loudly advocated by Mr. Guthrie means Democratic government pure and simple, for Mr. Guthrie himself is an intense Democratic partisan, with ambitions far beyond the mayoralty, and if elected it is only natural that he will use the power of his office to the fullest extent to further his party's interests. If an unworthy Republican were presented for the office, Republican voters would be justified in supporting a worthy Democrat; but Mr. Jenkinson is in every sense worthy. He is as well, if not better equipped for the place by nature and training than Mr. Guthrie. His integrity is just as high, his record is just as untarnished. He is no poser but a man of tireless energy, which would be exerted to the fullest extent for the good of the city. So far as partisanship goes, he is less of a partisan on the Republican side than Mr. Guthrie on the Democratic, and if elected his administration will be less tainted with narrow partisanship than Mr. Guthrie's would be. Above all, he is a man of the people, and the people will elect him.

The Irish Problem.

Of the problems which confront the new British government none is creating more discussion than the policy to be pursued toward Ireland. Previous to the election, those who are now members of the Liberal cabinet declared no home rule bill would be introduced in the next parliament, but their undoubted alliance with the Irish Nationalists, it is believed, will make necessary some movement looking toward a larger measure of self government for Ireland. Continental newspapers profess to believe a sort of "half loaf" concession will be made which will be accepted with the feeling that it is better than "no bread." The "Devolution" plan, first suggested by Lord Dunraven and Sir Anthony MacDonald in 1904, would be along this line. It embraced the creation at Dublin of two councils, one financial, the other legislative. The financial council would disburse moneys voted for public services in Ireland and make such retrenchments as are necessary. This council, presided over by the lord lieutenant, would consist of 24 members, half of whom would be appointed and the others elected in the same manner as are members of the house of commons, except that elections shall take place every three years. The lord lieutenant is authorized to veto any measure. The legislative council would consist of Irish peers and Irish members of the house of commons and have jurisdiction over local affairs.

It is not easy to imagine the Irish Nationalists would be satisfied or even mollified by such a concession, which, far from being even "half a loaf," seems but the minutest fraction, in fact, a crumb of very cold comfort. Even if accepted, the councils at Dublin would not long be content with such abridged powers, but would seek a greater measure of authority. It is better the fight should be conducted on the square issue of straight home rule.

To Save Lincoln's Birthplace.

One of the most popular movements ever projected is the preservation of the Lincoln farm to future generations. This is to be carried out through the Lincoln Farm association, which has been organized to develop the birthplace of the martyr president into a national park. The approaching anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln naturally adds to the interest in this project. The farm had passed through several hands before it fell to the possession of the patriotic gentleman who has handed over the deed for the property to the association's trustees. Lincoln's life is an inspiration to American manhood, and his career an eloquent embodiment of the possibilities in this land of opportunities, where personal endeavor and honesty of purpose overcome environment and lowly birth and the handicaps of poverty. Lincoln himself acclaimed that he was of the "plain people," and throughout his life his sympathies were always with them. The association which proposes to make his birthplace a second Mount Vernon has wisely provided that the plain people may have a hand in preserving the farm on which he was born. Membership in the association is placed at the low figure of 25 cents, with the limit at $25.

Nothing of a national character suggested of late years has met with such a cordial indorsement from men of all class, conditions and political belief. North and south, east and west can meet at the restored log cabin with the conviction that Lincoln now belongs to the reunited country, and that it will be, as one writer aptly puts it, "a great national school of peace, civic righteousness and unity, a museum of national loyalty, where all animosity will forever be buried, and where north and south will find a common ground of pride." In touch with this comes the echo of that famous speech: "That we here highly resolve that the dead shall not have died in vain; that the nation shall, under God, have a new birth of freedom, and that the government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth." Grand sentiments and a fulfillment to which all can now subscribe.

The Business Situation.

The only cloud on the business horizon at the moment arises from the relations between the coal operators and miners. Since the adjournment of the conference last week at Indianapolis no progress has been made toward reaching an agreement upon a scale of wages to govern after the expiration of the present agreement. The controversy involves miners in both the anthracite and bituminous fields, whereas the contest of 1902 involved only the anthracite mines. Recalling the disastrous consequences of the last struggle, it is natural for the business world to feel the keenest interest in the outcome of the present situation.

The effects of a "corner" in labor—for that is what a temporarily successful labor strike amounts to—are similar to those of a "corner" in commodities. There is a dislocation of supply and demand, and the disturbance soon gets beyond the original bounds, involving many branches of trade. There can be no doubt that the industrial depression which appeared in 1903 and extended through the greater part of 1904 was the direct outcome of the coal strike that prevailed during the greater portion of 1902. The falling off of more than 32,000,000 tons in the production of anthracite coal was partly made up by an increase in the output of bituminous coal. Because of the famine, abnormally high prices were realized for soft coal. This attracted capital to the soft coal business, greatly enhanced the value of coal lands and ultimately led to overproduction, from the consequences of which the soft coal trade is still suffering. One of the reasons why business men have not, so far, entertained any serious apprehension as to the outcome is that they cannot bring themselves to believe that coal operators and miners will carry their differences to the point of an actual strike and thus invite a repetition of the disastrous consequences which attended and followed the struggle of 1902.

There were few important developments in business circles during the past week. February is usually classed as between seasons, when there is a lull from the financial activity of January and preparations for the commercial and agricultural activity in the spring. The usual business gauges, however, do not show any falling off in the volume of trade. Despite the subsidence of activity in the stock market, bank exchanges at New York show an increase of 34.6 per cent over the corresponding week last year, while the increase outside New York was 17.7 per cent. The latest reported railroad earnings show extraordinary gains. In industrial circles some quietude is reported, but this is explained, so far as iron and steel is concerned, by the fact that productive capacity is booked so far ahead that manufacturers are not anxious about new orders.

At this season a year ago we were exporting large quantities of gold, but despite these shipments the money market continued to grow in ease. At the present time we are not shipping gold, but money remains fairly firm. The explanation may be found in the increased demand for money from domestic borrowers, owing to the larger volume of business. In addition to this we are piling up credits abroad much more rapidly than in the early part of 1905. Proof of this is furnished in our exports of breadstuffs. From the last wheat crop we have to date exported nearly 87,000,000 bushels, more than double the quantity for the corresponding portion of the previous year, and our exports of corn have been 72,000,000 bushels, as compared with 35,500,000 bushels the year before.

An Englishman has written to Mark Twain to thank him for a hearty laugh he has just enjoyed over "Innocents Abroad." The book was published a generation ago, but perhaps he who laughs last really does laugh best.

Ian Maclaren declares the sense of humor is a handicap to any young man starting out in life. It doesn't seem to have kept Mark Twain very far back in the race.

The Million club of St. Louis offers a prize for a suitable motto. "Hope on, hope ever" would be as good as any. Pittsburgh will have her million before St. Louis.

Democrat-Citizens leaders are "displeased" with Mr. Jenkinson's methods of campaigning. They will be still further displeased February 20.

The German emperor proposes to take personal charge of his new yacht. He has always had a fondness for paddling his own canoe.

That Connecticut library which has withdrawn Jack London's books from circulation should keep a keen lookout for bombs.

Jean de Reszke, having lost his money, will return to grand opera. We shall be glad, if he hasn't any cash, to receive his notes.

According to rumors, Mr. Lawson, the dispenser of free financial advice in large quantities, has purchased a costly brick of copper.

There will be more rejoicing over the wedding of Pittsburgh and Allegheny than over all the others put together.

If Brother Castro is crafty he will not deal out ball cartridges to soldiers until he knows who is to be the target.

If there is much more of this war talk, China's imperial commissioners may pick up their skirts and run.

The news from Venezuela has not yet occasioned a general strengthening of the French coast defenses.

Prof. Wiley's discovery that there are counterfeit lamb chops in circulation will not worry the vegetarians.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Gleaming Footlights.

By Charles M. Bregg.

Someone has jocosely declared that the moon took the present week to hide its face because of the startling brilliancy of the stars in Pittsburgh—meaning that the stage luminaries frightened the moon into eclipse.

Mansfield and Bernhardt have played, nip and tuck, for popular favor and the incidents of the conjunction have been numerous in which interest has taken the humorous turn. This, however, not to the exclusion of the noteworthy and serious phases of the engagement. One may roughly guess that the playgoers of Pittsburgh spent close to $40,000 to enjoy Bernhardt and Mansfield, which is an item of considerable moment, though of thoroughly utilitarian spirit. How far the compensation accords with the expenditure must be settled by individual opinion and taste.

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It may seem ungracious on my part to return to a criticism of the manner in which the French actress was sought to be made profitable. I am not much surprised that foreigners laugh at us Americans for our vulgar display of the almighty dollar. When some extraordinary opportunity is given for the exhibition of a cultured art sense among Americans, the shadow of the fakir for coin casts itself across the picture.

The hawking of photographs by raucous voiced boys in the Belasco lobbies this week would have been amusing or simply annoying if it hadn't been an exhibit of shocking bad taste. I do not know who was responsible for it, but imagine it lay with the Bernhardt management and not with the theater in its local conduct.

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I once heard a manager of a local theater sharply condemn the display of a signboard on the stage during a performance announcing the entertainment for the coming week. There is an implied rule in all first-class theaters in this country that the selling of peanuts, lemonade or photographs inside the theater proper or at the doors during a performance is improper. If the performance be a light and trivial musical or burlesque show the interdiction has no just ground, but when it comes to the display of talent and culture of a refined and educational kind, the rule ought to be rigidly carried out. Even the necessary sale of librettos should be conducted quietly and by methods in harmony with the needs of the public, not the profit of the men who have "bought" the privilege.

I deplore heartily this exhibit of cheap money getting and annoying huckster business that Madame Bernhardt's American managers have permitted to accompany her tour. It makes the American people appear ridiculous and is an offense in the eyes of intelligence and refinement.

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In view of the fact that Pittsburgh is to have three Saphos in as many months the following address delivered before a woman's club in Baltimore the other day, by a woman of considerable standing in art and literary circles, is pertinent.

"Why is it," said this woman, "that hundreds of our young men and women crowd to see a production like 'Sapho,' when there are many clean and decent plays on the stage? Why can't we women raise the standard of the stage? If the best people refuse to see plays that are not the best we will get the best. Many of the dramas of today are so impure that they are hard to forget and yet we do not wish to remember them.

"Campaigns against other evils of the past have been urged and won by good women, and why can we not abolish this wrong? People will go to the theater to be amused. They must see something. I have such confidence in what women can do that I believe, by refusing to patronize houses where such plays are produced, the return of good drama can be accomplished."

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Of the "Saphos" only one has ever aroused serious alarm on the part of moral minded theatergoers. In Madame Bernhardt's case the play is given from the original Belot dramatization which did not use the staircase scene in the novel. This I understand is the case with Miss Purnell's Sapho at the Empire theater this week. With Olga Nethersole, who comes to Pittsburgh in April, the case is different, for Miss Nethersole uses the Clyde Fitch made play. Mr. Fitch deliberately and with malice aforethought introduced the staircase scene and even elaborated its salaciousness for sensational purposes.

I respectfully call the attention of the women's clubs of Pittsburgh to this prospective invasion, and cite the Baltimore woman's address as a means of inspiration.

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Nor is this forehanded reference to Miss Nethersole's Sapho meant as an invidious attack upon the local engagement of that actress. I had a conversation with Miss Nethersole's manager the other day and he assured me that the Pittsburgh repertoire was still undecided. The English actress is playing quite an extensive repertoire. Besides her new play, "The Labyrinth," she has "Carmen," "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," "Magda," and "Camille" in her list.

At first glance there wouldn't seem to be much choice in this collection of drab heroines from a moral standpoint, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," "Magda" and "Camille," however, are philosophic studies of complex, if doubtful, feminine character. "Sapho" is simply a nasty bid for dramatic sensationalism.

Under these circumstances the gifted Nethersole might be persuaded, (mind you, I say "might be") to drop "Sapho" from her Pittsburgh engagement without serious financial harm, if she could be convinced that its performance here would still further heighten the distress and fear felt by her friends that she is hurting instead of helping her future American prestige by its use.

STRANGE TREASURES OF BRITISH HOMES

Heirlooms That Are Jealously Preserved by Distinguished Families of England.

If the heirlooms that are so jealously treasured in the stately homes of Britain could only be brought together they would make one of the most fascinating museums in the whole world.

Lord Elgin has among his many ancestral treasures at Broomhall the very helmet which the valiant Robert Bruce once wore and the huge two-handed sword which he wielded with such deadly effect in many a hard fought fray; while the Douglas banner which floated in the thickest of the fight at Otterburn has come down to our times through nearly 20 generations of the descendants of Archibald Douglas, who bore it so gallantly.

The brooch of Lorn, too, which was taken from Robert Bruce at the battle of Dairigh, has been preserved ever since at Donelly castle by the family of McDougall. Another most interesting relic of Bruce days is the famous Lee penny which was the inspiration of Scott's "Talisman." This magical coin, which is a silver groat of Edward III.'s time, with a cornelian set in it, was brought from the east by Sir Simon Lockhart and is credited with wonderful powers of healing the sick and curing those who have been bitten by mad dogs.

Among the many memorials of Sir Francis Drake to be seen in private houses is the very sword which was presented to him by the burgesses of Plymouth, and which now belongs to Sir Francis Elliott Drake of Buckingham abbey. At Buckland abbey, also, are the drum which accompanied the great naval hero on his voyage in the Pelican; a cocoanut cup mounted in silver gilt, given by Queen Elizabeth to Sir Francis, and also a silver gilt standing dish and cover.

Memories of Agincourt.

At Kimberley hall, the Norfolk seat of Lord Kimberley, are many valuable memorials of old days, notably the silver hilt of the sword which his lordship's ancestor, Sir John Wodehouse, wielded at Agincourt, and a rosary of coral and gold presented to Sir Philip's wife by Queen Catherine of Valois.

At Lyme hall, in Cheshire, is a very ancient bed, with a canopy of carved black wood, in which the Black Prince used to sleep; at Oxburg hall one may look on the bed in which Henry VII. was wont to take his rest; at Nappa hall, the ancestral Yorkshire seat of the Metcalfs, there is, or was within recent years, a massive four poster which the beautiful and ill-fated queen of Scots occupied for a few nights, and at Sizergh castle the Stricklands proudly exhibit a magnificent counterpane and toilet cover of the richest white satin embroidered by the hands of Queen Catherine Parr during a visit she paid to the castle as a young girl.

The center of the pattern on both counterpane and toilet cover is a medallion surrounded by a wreath of natural flowers wrought in twisted silks and bullion; a spread eagle in bold relief, gorged with the imperial crown, forms the middle, and at each corner is a dragon glowing with purple, crimson and gold. The colors are almost as fresh and vivid today as when they left the hands of Catherine centuries ago.

Memento of Welsh Chieftain.

At Rug, near Bala, are preserved a knife, fork and dagger, once the property of Owen Glendower, the famous Welsh chieftain; Lord de L'Isle and Dudley has a magnificent two-handed sword which was once worn by Robert Dudley, earl of Leicester, and the earl of Pembroke is very proud of the suit of russet and gilt armor which his remote predecessor William Earl of Pembroke wore when commanding the English army at the battle of St. Quentin.

Better known, and of exceptional interest, is the ancient glass goblet known the world over as the "Luck of Edenhall," which bears the legend, "When this cup shall break and fall, farewell to luck of Edenhall," and which has been so long treasured by the Musgraves. A similar heirloom is the "Luck of Muncaster," a quaint enamelled glass vase, presented by Henry VI. to Sir John Pennington when he sheltered the king at Muncaster after the battle of Hexham in 1463; while in the drawing room of Worthington hall, the seat of the Curwens, is a small drinking cup of Scotch agate given by Mary Queen of Scots as a parting gift to her friend and host, Sir Henry Curwen.

At Heslevside, Durham, is a very remarkable memorial of past centuries in the form of a formidable spur, six inches long, which, we are told, the "lady of the family used to serve upon a dish to her husband and sons, as a hint that the domestic larder needed replenishing."—London Tit-Bits.

A Strictly Temperance Cure.

This paper notes with deep regret that a number of persons are dying from the bite of rattlesnakes in different sections of Texas. Most all cases are young children, and in a good many instances they are bitten on the hand or foot. In such case the following remedy is said to be a splendid antidote for the rattler's bite, provided it is used immediately after being bitten: Take a pan or bowl and pour in enough kerosene oil to cover the wound. It will draw the poison out immediately, and in the course of a few minutes turn perfectly green; then pour out the oil and refill the bowl, being careful to put in enough oil to completely cover the wound. Leave the foot or hand in the oil as long as the oil turns green. Then put on a poultice of plain table salt and saturate thoroughly with oil. Keep this up for about an hour and there is scarcely any danger of fatal results. Cut this out and preserve for future reference.—Merkel (Tex.) Mail.

Words Old, Truth Ever New.

There is a bishop out in California who has recently delivered an ancient sermon about birds on hats. Some bright woman of his congregation has discovered that the "drenched in blood" hysteries of the deliverance are identical with those of a sermon delivered by the same man many years ago. When confronted with the evidence in the case the good bishop declared that, while the words might be old, the truth contained in them was ever new.—Johnstown Democrat.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. L. Rhodes, Mrs. Rhodes, Miss Rhodes, C. Overholt, G. W. Fitzsimmons, H. Dupuy, Mrs. Dupuy.
Astor House—L. Tower, B. Catley, H. E. Smith.
Cosmopolitan—H. Wylie.
Cadillac—G. L. Adams.
Broadway Central—E. F. Haye, S. J. Pavlick.
Grand Union—J. B. Dennis.
St. Denis—H. B. Emery, Mrs. Emery, C. I. Harrold.
Bartholdi—C. H. Storey.
Metropolitan—E. J. Thomas, Mrs. Thomas.
Hoffman—T. N. Barnsdall.
Victoria—E. F. Fox, J. A. Warwood.
Holland—J. M. Northrop, G. E. Tener, Mrs. N. Walker, Miss R. D. Miller.
Grand—G. M. Conrad, Mrs. Conrad, J. H. Bentley, Mrs. Bentley.
Sinclair—R. M. Cuthbertson.
Imperial—J. Fawell, F. W. Patterson, W. T. Wallace, Mrs. Wallace, E. H. Helmrichs, D. T. Rittle, W. E. Brown, L. Follett.
Vendome—W. Valentine, Mrs. Valentine.
Hotel Astor—W. C. Hagan, G. Murray, Mrs. Murray.
Manhattan—F. H. Bruening, P. Rinzel, Jr.
Park Avenue—L. B. Moorhead, Mrs. Moorhead, T. S. McKeon.
Fifth Avenue—S. Hippenstall, Mrs. Hippenstall, J. A. Adam, J. T. Noble.

FEBRUARY FANCIES.

"You say your brother played football to accustom himself to danger and at the same time to toughen and harden himself."

"Yes."

"But I thought he wanted to be a missionary?"

"Yes. A missionary to China."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Elderly Man (greeting former acquaintance)—I remember your face perfectly, miss, but your name has escaped me.

The Young Woman—I don't wonder. It escaped me three years ago. I am married now.—Chicago Tribune.

"You think you ought to be pensioned for services to your country?"

"Certainly," answered the energetic politician.

"What disabilities do you apprehend?"

"Gout and speaker's sore throat."—Washington Star.

"Your honor," said the attorney, "this man's insanity takes the form of a belief that everyone wants to rob him. He won't allow me, his counsel, to approach him."

"Maybe he's not so crazy after all," murmured the court in a judicial whisper.—Stray Stories.

Hobbs—Old Bjones is always talking about his buried treasures. I wonder what he means?

Slobbs—Well, you know he has lost four wives.—Philadelphia Record.

"Were you ever at an afternoon tea?"

"No; but I was in a place once where thirteen phonographs were all going at the same time."—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Some Palatable Breakfast Food Served Hot

By PETER PRY SHEVLIN.

Greater Brains for Greater City.

Now the loyal Legislatur'
Makes the city Pittsburgh Greater—
A sixth rater.

But it will be "Smokeville Lesser"
Under Democrat aggressor—
Tax assessor.

"Greater graft in greater city!"
Is the niggster's hopeful ditty—
More's the pity.

Nay! The people have selected
Jenkinson, with rights protected—
He's elected!

The Pittsburgh Viewpoint.

Eclipse of the moon must have put sad thoughts in Guthrie's head.

Perhaps Count Boni will get his Valentine from Anna in the shape of a divorce decree.

Proper tune for the White House wedding: "Don't you remember, sweet Alice," etc.

Now comes the annual saloon license round-up. If the saloon haunts of criminals are squelched, it will prove us worthy of a recent honor.

Lawson of Bawson says he is going to spring a surprise on the public. After so many scandals you can't surprise the blase U. S. any more.

If the Rev. Dixon, negro hater, gets any more profitable advertising they'll be naming a three-for-five brand of stogies after him.

Every locality will present Sweet Alice with a wedding present. Good idea for Chicago women to send some of the large-sized shoes they wear to throw after the bride for good luck. Japan could furnish the rice. But how about Pittsburgh? It would be graceful to send the bride an engrossed copy of the Greater Pittsburgh bill with the wish that her joy will be greater even than that of this city over its union with Allegheny.

Get Busy Annexing.

"Now that Pittsburgh has annexed Allegheny," remarked the Soho Sage, "it's simply up to Pittsburgh young men to call on the Allegheny girls and do some annexing of their own. It would be a fine thing if about a hundred wedding celebrations coincided with the Greater Pittsburgh festivities; besides, it would help our population to get right next to that of Chicago's. As soon as we cut out this one-cent toll game on the bridges there'll be no excuse even for the stingiest lover. Annex it, boys!"

The Hobo Was Wise.

During one of the bitter cold days this week a tattered, shivering 'bo stopped a prosperous citizen who was hurrying along Fifth avenue and made an appeal for alms.

"Say, boss, gimme a dime for booze, will yer?"

The citizen who had long been up against lying appeals was surprised by the frankness of the vagrant. As he handed over a dime, he said:

"I'm glad to hear you tell the truth!"

"No, boss, I've been lying," answered the man. "I'm going to spend this dime for a good feed of hot, solid food. If I gave you the old gag about being starving, you'd have thrown me down for a liar!"

"By ginger, I believe you're right!" commented the citizen.

Value of Advertising.

"The lavish way that the conquering candidate, Jenkinson, is using the newspaper advertising columns to place his convincing arguments before the great public," said Col. A. J. Logan, "reminds me of a little conversation that was supposed to have taken place between two spiders in a Fifth avenue store that had long been run on old-fashioned principles.

"These two spiders had been living in peace on a web spun across the top shelf in this store for many years. One day Mr. Spider climbed up to his helpmate and announced sadly:

"'I'm afraid we'll have to leave our old home.'

"'Why,' said Mrs. Spider, 'we've lived undisturbed on this shelf for many years—why should we be disturbed now?'

"'The storekeeper has begun to advertise—that's the reason!'"

Peter Pry's Philosophy.

No man reforms till he gets caught.

Some persons are too lazy to make enemies.

"Push" and "pull" are on the door of success.

Every woman wants to wear a big hat and small shoes.

Every genius is a crank, but every crank isn't a genius.

Love after marriage is like soup at the end of a meal.

Money has kept more men out of heaven that it has out of jail.

A pound of candy will convince a girl quicker than 10 tons of argument.

Now that they've reformed the brutality out of football, how about the women's bargain counter rushes?

A man walking to save five cent carfare will generate a thirst that costs him 50 cents to quench.

It's a good thing to make hay while the sun shines, but the wise man keeps on making hay when it's raining pitchforks.

Never tell a girl the "plain truth" lest she think that you do so to make it harmonize with her style of beauty.

Slight Misunderstanding.

At one of the downtown clubs yesterday a group of genial souls were laughing over a joke perpetrated on one of the members, a Smithfield street drygoods merchant. This member has a handsome Squirrel Hill home and with it Pat, an Irish servant imported direct from Kerry.

A few days ago the business man's wife arrived home after a shopping expedition and inquired for her husband.

"Pat, have you any idea of Mr. N.'s whereabouts?"

"Yes, ma'am, I think they're in the wash!" answered Patrick grovely.

A Campaign Story.

Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, who has arrived to help his old schoolmate, Jenkinson, in the campaign, handed out a rattling campaign story to a bunch of young spellbinders immediately upon his arrival.

"The fact that the Citizen-Democratic ring have the nerve to ask Pittsburgh for further indorsement after three years of failure to 'make good,'" said the "long doctor" at Republican headquarters, "reminds me irresistibly of the advice a wise Allegheny mother gave to her daughter recently.

"'Mamma,' said the young girl, 'you know that Alfred has been calling on me steadily for three years and he's never popped the question yet. Now that his birthday is coming, what should I give him?'

"'Give him the shake!' said the wise mother, and that's just what Pittsburgh will give the 'ring' candidates."

Was Used to "Roasting."

The new arrival in Hades complained of actually feeling chilly.

"They've been making it so hot for me in Harrisburg, you know."

The head limp grinned knowingly.

"Poke up the fire!" he yelled. "Here's a guy who voted against Greater Pittsburgh!"

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings Concerning the People Who Are Traveling.

Two interesting meetings of colleg men were held in Pittsburgh last evening. The Grove City College Alumni association of Pittsburgh met at the Monongahela house and the first annual banquet of the University of Maine Alumni association of Pittsburgh was held at the Fort Pitt.

The Grove City college meeting was the ninth annual banquet of the graduates in and about Pittsburgh, and, as usual, the president, the Rev. Dr. I. C. Ketler, was on hand to stir up the right kind of college spirit, although little was needed for the gathering of 75 men and women who are graduates of the institution. One of the pleasant features of the banquet was the furtherance of the movement for the donation of a portrait of W. A. Young of Grove City to the college. He has been a trustee of the college since its foundation and is known to every man and woman who has ever attended the college. F. J. Short, professor of mechanical engineering, and the Rev. Dr. James A. Kelso, professor-elect of Greek, now a teacher in the Western Theological seminary in Allegheny, were also present to represent the faculty. The program included the following items: President's address, S. R. McClure; "Greetings," Mrs. Horace J. Thomas; "My Alma Mater," John B. McAdoo; "A Greek Work," Prof. H. E. Winner; "Two Glances and a Sigh," the Rev. C. R. Zahniser; "The College, Present and Future," President Ketler. The banquet committee consisted of R. R. Elder, W. E. Borger, P. W. Snyder, C. C. Baldridge, P. N. Osborne and J. C. Ralston.

At the first annual banquet of the University of Maine 25 graduates of the institution sat about the festal board at the Fort Pitt. Dr. George Emery Fellows, president of the university, being the honor guest. A. G. Mitchell, superintendent of the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania and president of the Pittsburgh Alumni association, acted as toastmaster. Dr. Fellows spoke on "The University of the Present Day and Its Needs." It was decided to extend the scope of the Pittsburgh association to a radius of 100 miles, which will increase the membership to probably 50 alumni. The association was organized with 17 charter members April 14, 1905.

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Allegheny College Alumni Banquet.

Recalling old days at college, singing the songs of their alma mater and getting back into the spirit of their sophomore days, 100 members of the Allegheny College alumni banqueted at the Hotel Schenley last night. White carnations and smilax formed the table decorations, and their very simplicity added to the effect. The Rev. Charles Lindley Smith of Alliance, O., acted as toastmaster, and the following responded to toasts: John B. Townley, "Muzzling;" Benjamin R. Williams of Butler, "Scrimmaging;" Dr. Ella B. Goff, "Quacking;" the Hon. George W. Delamater, "Fraternizing;" Dr. Thomas C. Blaisdell, "Pedagoging;" the Rev. Dr. William H. Crawford, president of the college, "Prognosticating." A brief address was also made by Frank A. Arter of Cleveland. By-laws and constitution were adopted, changing the name to the "Allegheny College Alumni Association of Pittsburgh," and setting the last Friday in February of each year as the time for the annual banquet. W. H. Pratt was elected president; Mrs. John A. Wood, Jr., secretary, and N. B. Madden, treasurer. The executive committee chosen includes James A. Wakefield, Mrs. Thomas C. Blaisdell, Professor Grant Norris and Harry S. Harrop.

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Coal Company Men Go to Meeting.

President F. J. Robbins and several other officers and others interested in the Pittsburgh Coal Company, left last night for Trenton, N. J., to attend the annual meeting of the corporation. At this meeting the offices of president of the company and chairman of the board of directors will be elected president. Mr. Robbins remaining as chairman of the board and H. H. Taylor of Erie to be elected president. Mr. Taylor proceeded the other men to the east. Among those who went last night were Vice President W. R. Woodford, Secretary F. J. LeMoyne, General Counsel Elliott Rodgers and Consulting Counsel A. M. Neeper.

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Returning from Rate Lobbying.

Several western railroad officers, including Vice President McCullough of the Chicago & Northwestern, and a couple of Santa Fe officers, were passengers on the Pennsylvania limited last night. They were returning to Chicago from Washington, where they had been working for the railroad interests on the rate legislation. They refused to talk about the subject.

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Music at the Schenley.

A permanent orchestra of seven pieces has been engaged by Mr. Riley of the Hotel Schenley to play daily, except Sundays, from 12:30 to 2 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m., and 10:30 p. m. to midnight. On Sundays there will be music from 6:30 to 9:30 p. m. The first concert will be given tomorrow.

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Glassport Company Holds Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Severance Manufacturing Company's directors was held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Henry. This company's plant is located at Glassport.

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Among the People Traveling.

Col. L. T. Brown of Gov. Pennypacker's staff, and president of the Colonial Annex Hotel Company, left last evening for Florida, where he will spend several weeks. He will visit Palm Beach and Miami, and will probably take a jaunt to Cuba.

Francis J. Torrance left last night for a brief stay at Atlantic City.

G. C. Sturgiss, president of the board of trustees of the University of West Virginia, and owner and editor of the Morgantown Post, was registered at the Henry from Morgantown.

President W. H. Crawford of Allegheny college, Meadville, is at the Hotel Schenley.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Griswold—W. T. Sutton, Elkins; G. Thomas, Youngstown; J. M. Long, Kittanning; A. E. Heintselman, Akron; C. E. Cochran, Connellsville; F. E. Dukesmith, Meadville.

Henry—G. W. Hyde, Ridgway; J. J. Murphy, Scottdale; C. G. Hughes, Punxsutawney; L. A. Martin, Franklin; H. H. Price, New Castle; W. M. Ikott, Youngstown.

Lincoln—H. A. Barkley, Sharon; E. R. Sheldon, Freedom; J. S. Kain, Mt. Pleasant.

Fort Pitt—E. P. Taylor, New Castle; W. H. Shumler, Johnstown; W. B. Young, Marietta; S. A. Smith, Kittanning; E. Spanger, Wheeling; C. H. Fogg, Greensburg.

Monongahela—J. R. Bennett and F. C. Haymond, Fairmont; W. A. Johnston, Orrville; L. L. Shaffer, Cumberland; O. P. Simler, Johnstown; L. W. Brownfield, Uniontown.

Duquesne—W. Morris, Wheeling; W. C. Cramer, Johnstown; R. W. Munnell, Waynesburg.

Newell—S. Florence, Girst; J. S. Glenn, Bartlettsville; F. E. Winsor, Warren, O.

Colonial—M. E. McSwiggan, Steubenville; J. D. Johnson, Webster; L. M. Jenkins, Butler.

Boyer—A. C. McCord, Somerset; J. R. Williams, Dubois; P. J. Johns, Charleroi; Charles Hudson, Steubenville.

Anderson—J. H. Bevington, Cleveland.

Seventh Avenue—W. Griffith, Ebensburg; G. R. Holmes, Jamestown; C. J. Duncan, Windber; C. A. Swannson, Dubois.

Schenley—S. C. Todd, Charleroi; D. L. McNees, Beaver.

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OLD UNION BRIDGE MUST COME DOWN

Judge Buffington Renders Important Decision Covering Obstructions to Navigation.

SENTENCE MAY BE IMPOSED

"Holding then, as we do, that this law is constitutional, the proceedings under it regular and the verdict of the jury warranted, we dismiss the motion in arrest of judgment and grant the motion of the government to impose sentence."

The above was the concluding sentence of an opinion handed down by Judge Buffington in the United States district court yesterday in the case of the United States against the Union Bridge Company. The case is one of the most important that has come before the United States court of any district for many years. The right of congress to interfere with bridges erected under authority of a state is the crucial question and it affects vast interests in every state of the union. In his opinion Judge Buffington maintains that this right cannot be gainsaid.

The case came before Judge Buffington on a motion to impose sentence followed by a motion in arrest of judgment. It was a proceeding by the United States against the Union Bridge Company in the nature of a criminal information for failure to alter a bridge which is an alleged obstruction to navigation. Judge Buffington says in his opinion that in the trial no issues of fact were raised; the points of law submitted by the government were affirmed pro forma; those submitted by the bridge company denied pro forma and a verdit of guilty, under the charge of the court, rendered by the jury. The motion for sentence and for arrest of judgment followed.

Judge Buffington quotes authorities to prove the Allegheny river is a navigable stream under the jurisdiction of the United States government, and that permission is given to build bridges with the understanding that they shall not obstruct navigation. The court continues:

Declares Bridge an Obstruction.

It being shown that congress has power to control navigation, that the Allegheny is an inter-state navigable stream, that congress has assumed control over it, that acting by the secretary of war it has determined the bridge in question to be an obstruction to navigation and ordered its alteration, and the bridge company, having wilfully refused so to do, the burden of justifying a further continuance of that which the supreme law making power of this land has determined to be an obstruction to navigation rests upon the bridge company so obstructing. That the bridge is an obstruction to navigation is now settled and is now open to question; indeed, no question in that regard has even been raised in the whole proceeding, either in the hearing in pursuance of the statute, nor the criminal proceeding in this court. It therefore having been legally determined that this bridge company maintains an obstruction to navigation and so fails to "meet the requisitions of the law in regard to the obstruction of navigation," it can claim no immunity or protection from the state of Pennsylvania, whose charter required that its bridge shall be constructed in such manner as meets the requisition of the law in regard to the obstruction of navigation.

Considering the assertion that the act is unconstitutional because it violates the provision that no private property shall be taken for public use without just compensation the court first calls attention to the fact that the financial loss to the company is not of the serious character that would at first sight appear.

Must Soon Be Rebuilt.

It has a wooden bridge 30 years old and the company, even the government taking no steps, would soon be compelled to replace it at large expense. The actual cost to the company is not the cost of a modern bridge, but simply the profit arising from the tolls during the life of the present structure. Moreover no private property is taken for public use. The bridge is not taken as the locks and dams in the Monongahela river were. The right to maintain a bridge and to collect tolls is not denied, the company is only compelled to so use its property as not to interfere with the right of the public to an unobstructed use of the stream.

"It would be a strange anomaly," the court says, "that a demand made by the law upon one to perform a lawful duty must be preceded by compelling the law enforcer to provide compensation to the law violator for what is maintained in violation of the law." The court holds that the paramount right of congress to require the alteration without compensation is clear.

To the argument that the government having made no objection to the bridge prior to its erection has, in some way, by its inaction legalized the bridge as against itself, and thereby become liable to compensate the owners before ordering its alteration, the court says it is referred to no principle of estoppel or laches that would avail to thus compel the holder of a discretionary power to exert it immediately at peril. After full consideration of this feature the court says:

Authority of Congress.

Under these authorities we are of opinion that congress was acting within its constitutional limits in enacting that bridges, whenever they obstructed navigation, should be removed, and that without compensation to the obstructor. The absolute, dominant, controlling power of congress over navigation had been asserted before this bridge was built. While the power of the state to authorize structures was recognized, yet the limited nature of that power and that it must be exercised and enjoyed subject to the dominant control of the constitutional, and therefore higher, power, had been clearly pointed out, so that when the state of Pennsylvania empowered this company to build its bridge so that it should meet the requisitions of the law in regard to the obstructions of navigation, there was no doubt as to the source from which those requisitions would ultimately come. In this case congress has acted, as it strikes us, with great magnanimity and with considerate regard to the situation in which this company has placed itself. In 1874 the government's engineers reported that the bridge was an obstruction. * * * Indeed that congress in face of such information has allowed this bridge to stand for thirty odd years thereafter and be used meanwhile to reimburse to that extent its owners by tolls; that during that time this bridge has precluded the use of half the expensive harbor improvements made by the government, are in themselves proof that an absolute power in congress to remove obstructions to navigation, when it saw fit to exercise the power, was wisely entrusted to that body in full confidence that such power would be exercised with due regard to the situation in which the obstructior had placed himself.

GATHER A GREAT CROWD.

Fourteenth Ward Republicans, Without Jenkinson, Make a Splendid Showing.

The Republicans of the Fourteenth ward packed the Holmes school house last night, in vivid contrast to the ordinary-sized audience that greeted George W. Guthrie the night before, although the Republicans did not have their candidate for mayor as an attraction. The meeting was preceded by a parade, 500 men being in line. The meeting was called to order by John M. Morin. A. J. Edwards was the chairman, and he, H. G. Vogan, O. A. Ainsworth and Perry A. Shaner, spoke. Mr. Jenkinson addressed the Republican voters of the Thirty-seventh ward in the school house. The room was crowded.

The Thirty-sixth ward Republicans will meet tonight in the West End Republican rooms in Wabash avenue. Mr. Jenkinson will be there. Next Wednesday night Mr. Jenkinson will speak at a Republican meeting in the Homewood district. A meeting of the Republican Italians will be held in the Twenty-first ward on Tioga street on Wednesday.

"The Darling of the Gods."

David Belasco's drama of old Japan, "The Darling of the Gods," with Percy Haswell and Robert T. Haines in the leading roles, will be seen at the Belasco next Monday night to begin an engagement of two weeks. This is in the nature of a return engagement, as this play has been seen here before, at which time it was almost impossible to obtain seats after the Tuesday performance.

Arrange to Hear Testimony.

C. E. Theobald, S. M. Meals and David E. Mitchell, commissioners recently appointed by the court of common pleas, will meet in the Etna borough building on February 17 to hear testimony on the division of the borough into wards.

THE "WHIPPING POST" BILL IS ROUNDLY DENOUNCED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—On Monday the bill introduced by Representative Adams of Philadelphia, establishing the whipping post for wife beaters, and reported to the house by the District of Columbia committee without recommendation, comes up for consideration. Mr. Adams has been proceeding upon the hypothesis that it would have the support of the administration. But it is likely that the bill will be defeated. Members generally are of the opinion that it is not a good law to enact, though they may have little patience with wife beaters.

"The proposition is ridiculous," said Representative John Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, today. "Legislation such as that proposed would result in less punishment to the wife beater than to the man who is forced by the law to administer the lashes. I am quite sure the measure will get fully one vote."

"I cannot vote for the Adams bill as it now stands," said Representative Brownlow of Tennessee. "I will move to substitute the words 'steam kicking machine' for the words 'whipping post,' and to appoint me a committee of one to designate a victim. Seriously speaking, I am opposed to the measure."

Gen. J. Warren Keifer of Ohio, said: "I am opposed to any law with whipping in it. The sting of the lash would be the least part of the whole. The wife beater's wife would suffer more than the brute himself. Their children would suffer more than either. I do not have to read such a bill as that to know how I stand on it, and how I shall vote."

"The whipping post is in operation in my state," remarked Representative Burton of Delaware, "and I shall not vote to begin its use anywhere else. I do not believe in this method of punishment, and I have never heard any arguments in advocacy of the post and the lash that were in the least sound or convincing."

L. W. STRAYER.

LOWENSTEIN IS HELD FOR COURT

Testimony Elicits Fact That He Is Personally Interested in Various Firms.

David Lowenstein, the commission merchant arrested last week by Postoffice Inspector Frank O'Brien on a charge of using the mails to operate a scheme to defraud, had a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner W. T. Lindsey and was held for court in $2,000 bail, which he furnished. Lowenstein was represented by Attorneys J. Scott Ferguson and John D. Watson, and Assistant United States District Attorney Nathan S. Williams prosecuted the case.

According to testimony, Lowenstein was engaged in the general commission business and operated under the firm name of Lowenstein Bros. & Co., Jackson Supply Company, Market Growers' Company, Penn Lines Produce Company and the North Side Pickle Company. He had no warehouse or store, and his place of business consisted of a small office.

Inspector O'Brien testified that he had received over 50 complaints from merchants who alleged they had been defrauded by Lowenstein. He said that Henry Rehard, a miller of West Lafayette, O., sold David Lowenstein 35 barrels of flour, August 15, 1905, on 10 days' time, at $4 50 a barrel. Rehard was never able to collect his bill. Inspector O'Brien said he found that Lowenstein sold this flour to R. Caplan, a baker at 642 Grant street, for $5.50 a barrel. The sale was made on the freight car in the Grant street yards of the Panhandle railroad. Inspector O'Brien said that Daniel Heck, a grain merchant of this city, was in the Grant street yards at the time the sale was made to Caplan, and that Heck had identified the flour as that consigned by Rehard. These witnesses afterward confirmed O'Brien's statement.

Commissioner Lindsey set the bond at $2,000. Inspector O'Brien says he has a list containing the names of 50 firms and merchants throughout the country who sold Lowenstein merchandise and never received any payment.

SECOND YEAR TEACHERS HOLD EXCLUSIVE MEETING

Plainly State That Presence of Others, Not Even Excepting Principals, Is Not Wanted.

The Pittsburgh Teachers' institute held a grade meeting for second-year teachers in the North school yesterday afternoon. The meeting was attended by second-year teachers, it having been made plain that the presence of others, whether principals or not, was not desired. The idea in this is to allow teachers directly concerned to control their own meetings, it being believed that greater development will be secured in this way.

Supt. Samuel Andrews was present long enough to see that the meeting was properly started, and then left Miss Louise Woodside of the Moorehead school to lead. The program embraced the consideration of "Expression and Construction," "Oral Expression," "Literature," and "The Teaching of the Foreigner." There were also two open periods on "For Help" and "For Hindrances." Miss Florence Getner, Miss Jennie Musgrave and Mrs. Annie L. McCord, who opened the discusson on the question of expression and construction in writing, all held that each letter should be analyzed before it is written.

Miss Anna B. McConnell found marked success attained in getting proper expression in reading by questions. Miss Florence Wayman suggested having the children read from their own book and in the discussion of proper pronunciation, Miss Jennie Nelson said perserverance was the only method. Speaking of spelling Miss Agnes Shilladay advised that the spelling be always in advance of the reading.

The principal thought in Miss Josie Scott's paper, was the refinement obtained through literature. Miss Louise Wright told of the help in reading obtained through the dramatization of stories and Miss Nieman read several reproductions of stories as well as original compositions by the little ones. The teaching of foreigners was discussed by Miss Louise Woodside and Miss Alice Leech, both of whom told of several interesting experiences.

Miss Louise Woodside, Miss Louise B. Wright, Miss Dixon, Miss S. Elizabeth Hughes and Miss Jennie Scott, were appointed a committee to formulate a course of literature to be used by the second grade all over the city. It will be submitted to Supt. Andrews in March. The second grade institute will hold a meeting in May to discuss plans for the coming year.

OETTING THE ORGANIST.

Pittsburgher Will Play at Tonight's and Tomorrow's Free Recitals.

The usual free organ recitals at Carnegie Music hall, Pittsburgh, will be given tonight and tomorrow afternoon. William H. Oetting of Pittsburgh will be the organist, and for Saturday evening he has prepared the following interesting program:

Toccata and Fugue in D minor, arr. by Max Reger.....Johann Sebastian Bach
(First time at these recitals.)
Ave Maria.....Arcadelt-Liszt
Scherzo in D.....Philipe Capocci
Angelus.....M. Enrico Bossi
Fantasia, op. 61, No. 6.....Josef Renner, Jr.
(First time at these recitals.)
Intermission of five minutes.
Scherzo from the Fifth Sonata.....Alexandre Guilmant
Fantasia in D flat, op. 101...Camille Saint-Saens
Allegretto in F.....W. Welstenholme
Magnificat in D minor.....Edmund Lemaigre

Fire Destroys Two Buildings.

Fire destroyed the two-story dwelling of George Straub and a two-story frame carpenter shop of Thomas Tierney in Woodsville avenue, Shaleville, early this morning. The Straub house had just been built and was unoccupied. Straub and Tierney's loss is $2,000 each. No. 10 engine was taken to Saw Mill run from which water was pumped to extinguish the blaze.

STRIKES BLOW AT LIGHT COMPANY

Select Council Adopts Burns Report, but Fails to Approve Brand Resolution.

"It would be manifestly absurd, if not criminal, for councils or city officials, to force the city into a four-year or a one-year contract with the Allegheny County Light Company at $66 an arc light."

This was a declaration in the minority report of the special investigating committee, presented to select council yesterday afternoon by Dr. H. B. Burns, and adopted, although the administration members first attempted unsuccessfully to delay action and then to defeat the report.

The report recommended that the rate for light supplied the city by the Allegheny County Light Company should not be in excess of $72 an arc lamp, instead of $66, and that the Brand resolution, instructing the mayor and director of public works to secure service from the company at the terms of its franchise ordinance, should be adopted. Dr. Burns' minority report was adopted by a vote of 15 to 10, after the failure of a motion to postpone action until the next meeting had been defeated by a vote of 11 ayes to 14 noes.

Burns Wins and Loses.

Dr. Burns saw his report adopted, but was robbed of the fruits of his victory by his own failure to follow up his advantage with a motion to adopt the Brand resolution. The adoption of the Brand resolution would have put the issue squarely up to the mayor, and he would have been compelled to enforce the franchise ordinance of the Allegheny County Light Company and secure light service for the city at 75 per cent of the price charged private consumers.

After the adoption of his minority report Dr. Burns permitted council to adjourn, and the administration has another chance to delay action on the Brand resolution or to defeat it, if it ever comes to a test, before the present councils die. The friends of cheaper light for the city had a clear majority yesterday afternoon, and could have adopted the Brand resolution. After insisting upon the approval of his own report, although charged with discourtesy toward the other members of his committee, Dr. Burns said he had not asked for the adoption of the Brand resolution because he did not want the other side to think that he was "trying to take advantage" of his opportunity.

The administration was caught napping, believing that Dr. Burns would not present his minority report until the chairman of the special committee, John Upperman, got ready to make a report for the majority of the committee, comprising himself and James J. Booth. Mr. Upperman sent word to the city hall yesterday that he would not attend the meeting, and James J. Booth was also absent.

Wainwright Fights for Upperman.

No majority report was sent to select council by Chairman Upperman, although he had two weeks from the last meeting of the committee to prepare one. The absence of Chairman Upperman and Mr. Booth and their failure to send in a report was used by the administration members as an argument for postponing action on the minority report.

In the absence of Chairman Upperman of the committee Samuel J. Wainwright, Jr., conducted the fight against the Burns report. Dr. E. R. Waiters moved the adoption of the Burns report. Mr. Wainwright objected, stating a minority report could not be acted upon until the majority report had been received. He said it was discourteous to the other members of the committee, that the chairman of the committee was not there to make a report. He wanted the Burns report laid over.

"It is not the fault of this body that the other members of the committee are not here," said Dr. W. H. Weber. "They might stay away a year, and if Mr. Wainwright's argument holds good we could do nothing."

Upperman and Booth Absent.

"One member of the committee is out of the city and may be away three months," said Dr. Burns. "The chairman of the committee sent word he would not be here, but gave no reason. If the chairman was here he could not give any information except what I have given, because the majority of the committee made no report."

"I would like to hear the facts from the other side" said Mr. Wainwright.

"We don't know there is any other side," said Dr. Burns.

"Don't you think it is due the chairman of the committee that we ought to hear him before taking any action on your report?" asked President Wightman of Dr. Burns.

"I do not," replied Mr. Burns.

"I see no reason why any member should not consider this matter now at this meeting, if he has the city's interests at heart," said Dr. Walters.

P. J. Barry asked that the minutes of the committee be read to find when the committee was to report to select council.

"The minutes say the report was to be made at the next meeting of select council," said President Wightman.

"Council should have all facts and information before it considers the minority report," said Thomas J. Hawkins of the Thirty-ninth ward. This was Mr. Hawkins' maiden speech in select council, although he has been a member since last April.

The members voted as follows:

To report—Burns, Cavett, Fichtel, Frederick, Lang, Lennox, W. H. McKelvy, W. D. O'Brien, Schempp, Schlernitzauer, Schneider, Toole, Walters, Weber, Zollinger—15.

Against report—P. J. Barry, Casserly, Costello, Hawkins, Hogue, Kearns, William McKelvey, E. A. Sweeney, Wainwright, Wightman—10.

Daniel Ashworth Will Speak.

The monthly meeting of the Men's club of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church will take place in the lecture room of the church, Lowry and Lytle streets, Monday evening, February 12, at 8 o'Clock. Daniel Ashworth will make the address, his subject being "Critical Periods of the Civil War."

BIG COMPANIES FIGHT IN COURT

Westinghouse and Allis-Chalmers Companies Clash Over Rights for Turbine.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—An important patent litigation was begun today in the United States circuit court of the district of New Jersey when the Westinghouse Machine Company of Pittsburgh filed a bill of complaint against the Allis-Chalmers Company of Milwaukee, Wis. The outcome will be of great interest to the users as well as the manufacturers of steam turbines.

It is alleged the Allis-Chalmers Company has, in its turbine, incorporated many of the important patented improvements owned by the Westinghouse Machine Company. The turbine of the Westinghouse people is known as the Westinghouse-Parsons steam turbine, of which there are about 1,000,000-horsepower in operation. In principle it is the same as that invented by the Hon. Charles A. Parsons of England; but the Westinghouse-Parsons steam turbine has been perfected by George Westinghouse and his engineers.

OVATION FOR W. U. P. BOYS.

Combined Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs Give Fine Concert to Crowded House.

The first large concert ever given in Pittsburgh by the glee, banjo and mandolin clubs of Western University of Pennsylvania was presented last night at Carnegie Music hall and the boys were given an ovation. The hall was filled to its capacity and every number on the program was heartily enjoyed. The program was what might be termed a popular one, with bright bits from the comic operas and several numbers which are distinctly of the university.

A. S. Cowperthwaite was soloist. Perhaps the happiest thing on the program was the introduction of the W. U. P. Gleelets, three little darkies with excellent voices, who did stunts in costume. They were recalled again and again. Several parodies on popular songs were included in the program, one of the best ending in the refrain, "Everybody works at our school."

George Theodore Sulzner is director of the glee club; Harry Murdoch, leader of the banjo club, and Harvey Alexander Wallace is leader of the mandolin club. Walter Campbell, '09, was accompanist.

Mrs. Kerr Gives Musicale.

A musicale was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Samuel J. Kerr at her home in Rogers avenue, Bellevue, in honor of her sisters, Mrs. G. S. McCurdy and Miss Christina Kerr. The honor guests assisted in receiving, with Miss Helen Kell. There were 40 guests. The program was furnished by Mrs. F. A. McClure, Miss Shannon, Luther Harper, Miss Mabel Head and Miss Sarah Woodburn.

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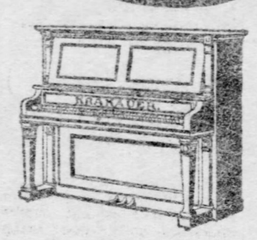

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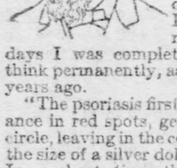

"The psoriasis first made its appearance in red spots, generally forming a circle, leaving in the center a spot about the size of a silver dollar of sound flesh In a short time the affected circle would form a heavy dry scale of a white silvery appearance and would gradually drop off. To remove the entire scales by bathing or using oil to soften them the flesh would be perfectly raw, and a light discharge of bloody substance would ooze out. That scaly crust would form again in twenty-four hours. It was worse on my arms and limbs, although it was in spots all over my body, also on my scalp. If I let the scales remain too long without removing by bath or otherwise, the skin would crack and bleed. I suffered intense itching, worse at nights after getting warm in bed, or blood warm by exercise, when it would be almost unbearable.

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BOGGS & BUHL MAKE BIG TRADE

Sell Lot at Penn Avenue and Evans Alley, Taking Squirrel Hill Frontage.

TRADE FLATS FOR COAL LAND

Boggs & Buhl have sold to Charles Donnelly the property at the northwest corner of Penn avenue and Evans alley, taking in part payment 12 acres of Squirrel Hill frontage. The deal was handled by the Samuel W. Black Company, but no prices were announced on either side. The Penn avenue lot is 90x190 feet, part of it abutting on a private alley. It is directly across Evans alley from the Hotel Lincoln property and is opposite Penn avenue from the new brick building now being erected. On the front of the lot are four brick buildings formerly used as residences and now as stores, and seven small dwellings stand on the rear. All the buildings are well rented. The property is valued at about $25 a square foot, which would make this end of the transaction amount to something over $400,000. The Squirrel Hill frontage which was given in part payment consists of about 3,000 feet of ground facing in Beechwood boulevard and McClure avenue. Most of this frontage has a depth of 200 feet and it is said to be worth in the neighborhood of $80 a foot, making the total near $180,000.

Big Trade Out Fifth Avenue.

Another big exchange deal which, it is said, has been closed more than a week, involves the holdings of G. W. Theis at the northeast corner of Fifth avenue, between Wyandotte and Moultrie streets, Fourteenth ward. The property is in two parcels, one measuring 100x128 feet at the corner of Wyandotte street and having on it the Junonville apartment house and a new flat called the Juno apartments. The former is a four-story brick structure containing 16 suites, which are rented for an average of $40 a month. The Juno building is three stories high and its six suites are rented for about $35 a month. These buildings are said to have been rated at $60,000 and $20,000 on a cash valuation. The other parcel of property consists of 270x75 feet in the rear of the first named plot, facing on the north side of De Raud street, and is improved with eight three-story double brick houses. Thirty-two families live in these houses and the total rental is about $575 a month. The houses were recently valued at $30,000 or $10,000 each, which makes the total of the transaction on a cash basis, $180,000. It is said the properties went into the present deal at considerably more than this figure, owing to the fact that in part payment for them there was tendered coal land in West Virginia. Mr. Theis, who is vice president of the Monongahela River Coal and Coke Company, has been out of the city for several days, so the exact terms of the deal could not be learned.

Broad Street Sale of $30,000.

John W. Sherrer, the East End realty broker, nets $7,500 by the sale of the former McKinney property at 6021-6023 Broad street, which he bought last August for $22,500. An out-of-town investor now pays $30,000 for the property, which has a renting value at present rates of $100 a month. The lot is 48x100 feet, on the north side of the street, adjoining the Keser store and apartment building at the corner of Sheridan avenue. A double brick house is the only improvement. The present deal is at the rate of $626 a front foot.

The Aronson Realty Company announces the resale of the property at 1313-1321 Webster avenue and 1306-1314 Poplar alley for $34,000. Edward Skees is named as the present buyer and he gets title to the property from Pietro Manousco, giving in part payment two eight-room solid brick buildings at 1311-1312 Webster avenue, the latter lot being 40x127 feet.

The sale is reported of the S. C. Grier property at 220 Federal street, Allegheny, for $30,000. The lot is 22x100 feet on the northeast side of the street, near Robinson street, and is improved with a brick building rented for about $2,500 a year as a stationery and tobacco store. The buyer's name is not announced.

Getting Busy in Station Street.

The Schmidt property, 30x120 feet, with a store and dwelling, on the west side of Station street, between Larimer and Frankstown avenues, had been sold for $15,000 to a local investor. This is the third deal for Station street property made this week and one of the other two shows how steadily values are advancing in that street near the new East Liberty station. This is the sale of the Gerber & Charles property, an improved lot, 31x118 feet, on the south side of the street, near Larimer avenue, for $10,500 to J. H. Good. Three months ago Louis Love bought the property for $7,500. After holding it two months he sold it to Mrs. J. H. McAllister for $9,500, netting $2,000 by the deal, and she has just netted $1,000 by the last sale. The building on the lot brings in $58 a month.

George Brothers have rented three more of the Charles McKnight warehouses in Twenty-first street, between Penn and Liberty avenues, making seven of the 10 new buildings that the now under lease. The M. O. Coggins Company secures a three-story building at 217 Twenty-first street for $2,000 a year; Albert M. Travis gets a four-story building at 209 for $3,500 a year and C. C. Spencer has leased the four-story building at 207 for $2,000 a year. The other tenants are Crutchfield & Woolfolk, who pay $4,500 a year for 201-203; A. F. Young and Company, who rented 205 for $2,000 a year, and S. Catanzaro and Company, who pay $2,500 a year for 213 Twenty-third street. Mr. McKnight's venture into the new commission district is likely to prove one of the most profitable deals of its kind made for years and the rapid leasing of the warehouses is abundant evidence that the long-drawn howl about the desertion of the outer Penn avenue district by the commission men and the prospective "slack realty market that" was likely to follow was entirely without foundation.

Gain of 51 Per Cent Over Country.

Reports of building operations for January from 32 large cities show that the month's total is 51 per cent larger than that of January, 1905. More than 7,300 buildings were authorized, the total cost of which was $37,891,058 as compared with 5,100 buildings in the previous January, which were estimated to cost $25,074,000. The five cities showing the largest percentage of gains were as follows: Cleveland, 538 per cent; Omaha, 245 per cent; Pittsburg, 234 per cent; Detroit, 203 per cent; Memphis, 174 per cent. Only eight of the 32 cities fell behind the record of the previous year.

James W. Drape & Co. report having placed these mortgages: $75,000 for five years at 4½ per cent on downtown business property; $6,000 and $5,500 on residences in Fairfax; $3,000 on a house in Wilkinsburg; $4,500 on property in the Sixth ward; $2,100 on a dwelling in the Thirty-second ward; $8,000 on a residence property in Lincoln avenue, East End, all at 6 per cent.

The Colonial Real Estate Company is a new concern that has secured a fine suite of offices at 901 Peoples Bank building. The president of the firm is Charles E. Stalker, a well-known real estate and coal man, who was lately connected with the Pittsburgh Coal and Fuel Company. J. F. Kloch is secretary and treasurer of the company. They will do a general real estate business, paying special attention to mortgages and rents.

Renters Begin to Vote.

From all parts of the city and suburbs renters are sending in dozens of votes for the "popular" brokers who are listed in The Gazette's contest for favors. Nearly 100 brokers have been named already and fully three times that number of votes have been cast. It is the renters especially who are brought into such close contact with the every day real estate man and for this reason their action in voting early and often in this contest shows that they appreciate the courtesy which certain brokers give them. Such an expression of opinion is of value to the brokers in more than one way and many have already given their hearty commendation of the novel scheme.

Wylie avenue: The Real Estate Security Company sold for Louis Greenberg to Lewis Wheeler 2154 Wylie avenue, a ten-room brick house on 20x75 feet, for $8,000; for August Becker to Emanuel Ruben 1704 Cliff street, a two-room house on 24x72 feet, for $1,600.

Shady avenue: Alfred Dickson sold for Architect James T. Steen to a local investor 40x100 feet, on the east side of Shady avenue, near Forbes street, for $7,000.

Ben Avon: Henry W. Armstrong sold for Kate Lautenstager to William F. Maxwell a frame house on 36x140 feet, in Breading avenue, Ben Avon, for $3,300.

East End avenue: A. H. Clarke sold for F. F. Livingston to F. A. Trueblood 52.5x120 feet, in East End avenue, near Biddie avenue, for $2,000.

Carver street: John W. Sherrer sold for Robert H. Brown to Dominico Capazzi a frame house on 21x100 feet, on the west side of Carver street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,200.

Nineteenth Ward House Sold.

Homer street: Baldridge, Watson & Co. sold for P. O. Boyd to a local investor a ten-room two-and-a-half brick house on 32x115 feet, in Homer street, near North Negley avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $7,000.

Singer avenue: Howard J. Whinery sold to Otis B. Lane 25x100 feet on the west side of Singer avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, for $4,500.

Harriett street: E. J. Elsasm sold to Sophia Wibman an improved lot 25x100 feet, in Harriett street, Thirty-eighth ward, for $1,750.

Climax street: Elizabeth Schubert sold to W. C. Donley 25x125 feet on the north side of Climax street, Thirty-first ward, for $3,650.

Rebecca street: William Sinning sold to M. V. Hemsley 94x31 feet on the southeast side of Rebecca street, Nineteenth ward, for $2,250.

The Pittsburgh bureau of building inspection yesterday issued a permit for the Treasury Trust Company for the changing of the front of a four-story brick store building at 401 Market street, First ward, to cost $6,000.

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The Death Roll.

August Roedel.

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August Roedel, aged 74, well known in Allegheny, died yesterday at his home, 4049 Duquesne avenue. He was born in Zwickau, Saxony, and on January 21, 1858, was married to Caroline Morgenstern, who with four daughters survive him. The children are: Mrs. William Booth, Mrs. George F. Eckert, Mrs. W. S. Kutscher and Mrs. Clara Klopfer. He is also survived by a brother, Charles Roedel of Pittsburgh; a sister and brother living in Germany, and by six grandchildren and one great grandchild. Mr. Roedel went into the butcher business in Allegheny in 1854, his place of business being on Chestnut street. From there he moved to Ross township, continuing his business in the Allegheny market. He retired about 16 years ago. He was a resident of Ross township for 24 years, serving on the school board for 16 years. He moved in to the city about two years ago.

Mrs. Elizabeth Llewellyn.

Mrs. Elizabeth Llewellyn, widow of Thomas Llewellyn, a former Braddock contractor, died yesterday morning at the home of Daniel Geiger in Lillie avenue, Braddock, where she has been housekeeper for 12 years. Mrs. Llewellyn was born in County Cork, Ireland, and was of Scotch parentage. She was 58 years old and went to Braddock with her husband about 35 years ago. She was a member of St. Thomas' Roman Catholic church of Braddock, and was identified with church and charitable work. Mrs. Llewellyn was one of the party thrown over an 150-foot embankment while riding in Mr. Geiger's automobile several months ago, but recovered from that accident.

John O'Connor.

John O'Connor, general superintendent of steam shovel work in the eastern part of the United States for the Drake & Stratton Company of Pittsburgh, died at Palm Beach, Fla., Thursday night. Mr. O'Connor, who was widely known among railroad men, was stricken with apoplexy about six months ago, and since that time had been unable to perform his duties. He was stricken the second time this week and succumbed. Mr. O'Connor started to work for the Drake & Stratton Company about 20 years ago in a minor capacity and worked himself up to a responsible position. He had charge of numerous large railroad contracts in the east and south. For about a year, during the period of 1900-1901, Mr. O'Connor resided in Allegheny. His home was at Oswego, N. Y. He was 55 years of age.

Mrs. William H. Williams.

Mrs. Mary Smith Williams, a bride of four months, died yesterday morning at Mercy hospital from appendicitis. She was the wife of William H. Williams of Lobinger avenue, North Braddock. She was born in Pittsburgh 25 years ago, and was a daughter of the late Joseph and Mrs. Fannie Smith. She was a graduate in music of Adrian college, Mich., organist of Christ Methodist Protestant church, Rankin, and a member of the congregation. Besides her mother and her husband, she leaves two brothers and four sisters.

Patrick Cawley.

Patrick Cawley, aged 77, died yesterday at his residence, 805 Bluff street. He was born in Ireland, but came to this country with his parents when he was a boy. He was a commission merchant for a number of years, but retired about 20 years ago. He was married in 1859, his wife being dead for about 10 years. He is survived by the following children: Daniel, Frank, Jennie and Joseph, all living in Pittsburgh. Mr. Cawley was a member of St. Peter's Cathedral, from where the funeral services will be held.

Mrs. Albert Heberling.

Mrs. Susan B. Heberling, aged 48, wife of Albert Heberling, died yesterday at her home in Jones avenue, Ingram. She was born in Washington county and had lived in Ingram four years. For 11 years she had been a resident of Allegheny. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Ingram. Besides her husband she is survived by these children: E. J. and Miss Mabel Heberling, at home; and Walter A. Heberling, who has been in Mexico for the past six months and is now on his way home.

Mrs. Anna B. Stone.

Mrs. Anna B. Stone, widow of William Stone, died yesterday, aged 82. She was born in Pittsburgh and was married to Mr. Stone about 60 years ago. She was a daughter of John Brickell, a steamboat captain of Pittsburgh, and a sister of William B. Brickell, deceased, a prominent Pittsburgher. David Z. Brickell, a brother, survives. She will be buried from the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna M. Brickell, 452 Atlantic avenue, funeral services being held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Louis W. Vogel.

Louis W. Vogel, aged 35, died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, 118 Hill street, Allegheny. He is survived by his widow, who, previous to her marriage was Miss Mamie Glaser of Philadelphia, their wedding occurring six years ago. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Wilhelmina Vogel, three brothers, Carl, Henry E. and Ernest E. Vogel, and a sister, Mrs. Joseph Thomas, all of Allegheny.

Funeral of S. C. Armstrong.

S. C. Armstrong, the former cashier of the Washington National bank, who was found dead at Roanoke, Va., was buried yesterday afternoon. The services were held at the family residence, 4716 Bayard street, and were in charge of the Rev. Dr. Daniel Russell, pastor of the Bellefield Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. Dr. E. P. Cowan. Interment was made in the Allegheny cemetery.

Miss Catherine C. Wilkins.

Miss Catherine C. Wilkins, aged 19, of 512 McNair avenue, Wilkinsburg, died Tuesday at Aiken, S. C. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wilkins and came to Pittsburgh from Oil City in 1890, and resided with her parents in the East End until about three years ago, when they moved to Wilkinsburg. She was a graduate of the Pittsburgh High school.

Mrs. Jane Langworthy.

Mrs. Jane Langworthy, aged 72, is dead at the home of her son, H. M. Langworthy, 6821 McPherson street. Her husband, who was a veteran of the civil war, and a resident of Wellsville, O., has been dead for several years. She is survived by a son and daughter, both living in Pittsburgh. The body will be taken to Wellsville for interment.

Michael R. Murphy.

Michael R. Murphy, aged 58, a retired policeman, died yesterday at his home, 1059 Brownsville avenue, from asthma. He retired from the police force about five years ago. He is survived by four children, Henry J., Sylvester, Mrs. Charles Letzkuf and Miss Catherine Murphy.

Obituary Notes.

James A. Varner, a sign painter of Braddock, died yesterday at his boarding house in Baltimore street, Rankin, from pneumonia. He was 31 years old and unmarried.

Lumber Company Is Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed at Dover, Del., yesterday for the Fort Pitt Lumber Company of Pittsburgh, to manufacture lumber of all kinds and to sell and deal in the same. The incorporators are C. F. Johnson, John G. Evans and H. M. Boaz, all of Pittsburgh. Capital stock, $500,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Sigmund Segall, Lizzie Goldburg; Benjamin Levine, Ida Rosenberg, all of Pittsburgh.

Frank W. Zellers, Grafstown, Louise L. Dreer, Coulter.

DIED.

BAUM—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 10 p. m., JOHN ROUP BAUM, aged 72 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 201 S. Rebecca street, East End, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

CROWE—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 5 p. m., GEORGE R., youngest son of Sharlie and Anna McFarland Crowe, aged 4 years 1 month 24 days.

Funeral services at the family home, Penn township, near Mount Hope cemetery, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Carriages leave the office of Thomas B. Moreland, 6104 Penn avenue, East End, at 12:30 o'clock.

DEELEY—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 11:20 p. m., JOHN, son of Margaret and the late James Deeley and husband of Mary A. Deeley, aged 48 years.

Funeral from the home of his sister, Mrs. Ross Jones, 3624 Smallman street, on Sunday, February 11, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(East Chicago papers please copy.)

GEISLER—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 5:45 p. m., JACOB GEISLER, beloved husband of Margaret Geisler (nee Heil), in his 83rd year.

Funeral from his late residence, Talley Cavey, on Saturday, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HAPGOOD—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 2 a. m., ELIZABETH PAYNE, wife of John Hapgood and mother of Dr. L. P. Hapgood, aged 50 years 5 months 6 days.

Funeral services on Saturday, February 10, 1906, at the family residence, 921 Carson street, South Side, at 1 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

HEBERLING—On Friday, February 9, 1906, at 2 a. m., Mrs. SUSAN B. HEBERLING, wife of Albert Heberling, aged 49 years.

Funeral services at the family residence, No. 26 Jones street, Ingram, on Monday, February 12, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

HILL—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at the home of his father-in-law, William H. Lowe, Home street, Allegheny, NATHAN H. HILL, aged 40 years.

Funeral services on Sunday at 3 p. m. at the Mt. Washington Methodist Protestant church. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

LACOCK—On Friday, February 9, 1906, at 4:06 a. m., LETITIA J. LACOCK, of pneumonia, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Robert E. Park, Marlboro avenue, Walker place, Allegheny.

Funeral services on Sunday, February 11, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

LANGWORTHY—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at the residence of her son, H. M. Langworthy, 6821 McPherson street, JANE LANGWORTHY, in the 72nd year of her age.

Funeral services and interment at Wellsville, O., this morning.

REINHART—On Wednesday, February 7, 1906, at the winter residence of Charles C. Mellor, Daytona, Fla., of pneumonia, JAMES McHENRY REINHART, in the 64th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 718 Ivy street, Pittsburgh, on Sunday, February 11, at 3 p. m.

ROEDEL—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 6:45 a. m., AUGUST E., beloved husband of Caroline Roedel (nee Morganstern), in his 74th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 4049 Duquesne avenue, Allegheny, on Sunday, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SCHAUM—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 3 a. m., MARY A. SCHAUM (nee Davis), wife of Charles L. Schaum.

Funeral services at her late residence, Eighth avenue, near Broadway, Beechview, on Sunday afternoon, February 11, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private. Take Charleroi cars on Wood street, Pittsburgh.

SCHORR—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 5:30 a. m., at her daughter's residence, Duquesne, Pa., Meadow street, near Grant, MARGARET SCHORR, aged 73 years 6 days.

Funeral on Saturday, February 10. Requiem high mass at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Agnes' Catholic church cemetery, Thompson's Run. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SANDERSON—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 7 p. m., at Wilkinsburg, Pa., ELIZABETH ALLAN, infant daughter of Dr. William A. and Elizabeth Sanderson (nee McKelvey), aged 1 month and 14 days.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. McKelvey, 1100 Wood street, Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Saturday, February 10, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private later in Homewood cemetery.

SMITH—Suddenly, Friday, February 9, 1906, at 7 a. m., NORMAN H., husband of Jane Lecky and son of Mrs. R. Amberson Smith, at his residence, 3922 Fifth avenue.

Notice of funeral later.

[Mercer (Pa.) papers please copy.]

STEWART—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 5:30 p. m., WILLIAM C. STEWART, Sr., husband of Kate Stewart (nee McMillin), in the 75th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, Moundsville, W. Va., this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

(Cleveland papers please copy.)

STONE—On Friday morning, February 9, 1906, at 3 o'clock, ANNA B. STONE, sister of David Z. Brickell and William B. Brickell, deceased, in the 82nd year of her age.

Funeral Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Annie M. Brickell, 452 Atlantic avenue, Shadyside. Interment private at later hour.

STRINGER—On Thursday, February 8, 1906, at 2 a. m., KATE, wife of Henry Stringer and daughter of George Meredith, in her 39th year.

Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 128 Abbott street, East End, Pittsburgh, on Sunday, February 11, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

TEXER—At the family residence, 5633 Northumberland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Friday, February 9, 1906, JOSEPHINE MANN TEXER, aged 3 years, daughter of Mabel Hazeltine and Francis James Texer.

Services and interment private.

[Jamestown (N. Y.) papers please copy.]

VOGEL—On Friday, February 9, 1906, at 2:10 a. m., LOUIS W. VOGEL, husband of Mamie E. Vogel (nee Glaser), aged 35 years 2 months 11 days.

Funeral from his late residence, 118 Hill street, Spring Hill, Allegheny, on Sunday, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment private. Take Charleroi cars on Wood street, Pittsburgh.

[Philadelphia (Pa.) and Ocean City papers please copy.]

WEAVER—On Friday, February 9, 1906, at 9 a. m., at Wilkinsburg, Pa., Mrs. ELIZA JANE WEAVER, in her 81st year.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Dr. J. E. Rigg, 731 North avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Sunday, February 11, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private later in Woodlawn cemetery.

WRIGHT—On Friday, February 9, 1906, at 7:50 a. m., CATHERINE, only child of Alfred and Elizabeth Wright (nee Ferry), aged 1 year and 5 months.

Funeral services will be held at the parents' residence, on Frankstown road, Penn township, on Sunday, February 11, at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Hope cemetery.

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BOOKS and BOOKMEN BY GEORGE SEIBEL

WHILE no works of popular interest have appeared during the current week, two volumes of great importance to historical students have been issued. The first of these is a new volume, the second, in Elroy McKendree Avery's "History of the United States," a work as admirable in its style as in its typographical embodiment. The Burrows Brothers Company of Cleveland, who are publishing this monumental work, announce that it will include 15 volumes, instead of 12, as at first projected. The other historical volume of the week is "The Jeffersonian System," volume 12 in the American Nation series. It is the work of Edward Channing, for many years professor of history at Harvard, and is published by Harper Brothers.

The same house also issues a notable contribution to the literature of Darwinism, "Evolution the Master-Key," by Dr. C. W. Saleeby. It is a popular exposition of scientific doctrine.

In view of Ludwig Fulda's approaching lecture in Pittsburgh, before the Germanic society, it may be of interest to know that no less an author than J. M. Barrie has paid Dr. Fulda "the sincerest form of flattery." Barrie's play, "The Admirable Crichton," which William Gillette presented here last season, is practically an adaptation of Fulda's comedy, "Robinson's Eiland." Dr. Fulda will speak here on "Transistors and Translations," and as he is himself the unrivaled translator of Moliere, Beaumarchais and Rostand, his remarks should carry no little weight.

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FRANCE'S GRAND MONARCH.

Louis XIV. and La Grande Mademoiselle. By Arvede Barine. New York: G. P. Putnam Sons. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 394 pages, illustrated. Price, $3.00.

THE age of Pericles in Athens has its sole counterpart in that of the great Louis. Both attained the summit of empire; both ended in the throes of ruin. The Elizabethan and Medicean periods were beginnings or renaissances; but the France of Louis, like the Greece of 450 B. C., was a culmination. It is an interesting age from whatever point one views it. It produced financiers like Colbert and cooks like Vatel. It produced soldiers like Turenne and delightful gossips like Madame de Sevigne. It produced great world-authors like Moliere and infamous poisoners like La Voisin. It produced shameless women like Montespan, who intrigued for the position of "recognized mistress" to the king; it produced fearless preachers like Bourdaloue, who dared reproach the king to his face from the pulpit.

This marvelously crowded age has been pictured for us by Voltaire in one of those works which laid the foundation for modern history writing. We know it also from the Memoirs of Saint-Simon, the French Pepys, not the communistic philosopher Saint-Simon. But in 1860 were published the Memoirs of Louis XIV. himself; Cosnac's "Souvenirs," Michaud's investigation into the relations between the Roi Soleil and the Holy Father, and Sourches' Memoir, voluminous works that have made many matters appear in a new light, have all been published since. So it was time for a new Voltaire to paint a fresh panorama of this brilliant era. Arvede Barine has done it in the two volumes of which the first covered "The Youth of La Grande Mademoiselle," while the second is before us.

La Grande Mademoiselle, duchess of Montpensier, was cousin to the king, and was in many respects the most remarkable woman of her time. She it was of whom the great Conde once said, apropos of a movement of troops, that "Gustavus Adolphus could not have done better." She was almost the only one who dared to set her will against the king's. What this means can best be appreciated from a passage in a court sermon by Bossuet, the "Eagle of Meaux," one of the greatest preachers that ever lived, who spoke thus regarding the duties of kings: "O Gods of nations and of lands, you must die like mortals; nevertheless, until death, you are Gods."

It is this Grande Mademoiselle, a strange bundle of energies and caprices, whom M. Barine places over against the Grand Monarque to round out a complete picture of the court life of the reign. They were like the sun and the moon, the "greater light" and the "lesser light," though there were "stars also." In history as in astronomy, the stars often turn out to be much larger and more important bodies than the luminaries dividing day and night—such stars as Moliere, La Fontaine, Racine, Rochefoucauld, Sevigne and Boileau.

It was this constellation that rendered the age of Louis illustrious. Heinrich Heine once said that "Racine is the first modern poet, as Louis XIV. was the first modern king," and Heine saw history with the profound vision of a humorist. To the great credit of Louis be it recorded that he applauded Racine, who made tragedy realistic and let stage heroes speak like sane men, and that he "laughed even till his sides ached" over one of Moliere's comedies, and permitted the representation of "Tartufe" despite the clamor against it. Mademoiselle was almost as liberal as Louis and had "Tartufe" performed in her salon, but she atoned for her liberality in one sense by being "economical" in another, giving the players 200 francs less for playing the forbidden play.

Though Louis' splendid court, under the rule of a king whose great parts none can deny, thus fostered literature and art; though it saw the birth of opera and the apotheosis of architecture, it was essentially shallow and superficial devotion, a new avocation from the arduous duties of killing time. The king himself danced in ballets, ran masked through the streets of Paris; hide-and-seek or blind man's buff rivaled polite conversation in polite society; and did not La Fontaine himself dedicate one of his epistles to Mignon, "the little dog of his mistress"? Louis XIV. was no Frederick II., no Duke Charles Augustus. Like the first of the Frankish emperors, he had set about to repair a fragmentary education, but to the last he was "ignorant" by his own confession. All the ostentation of the court life could not conceal its sordid and hollow phases, and we see French morals corrupted by illustrious example, we see the French people starving and the fruit of their labor eaten up by taxes—everywhere the premonitions of the Deluge which was to follow the next reign.

Such episodes as the Portuguese marriage which Mademoiselle rejected, and her love affair with Lauzun, which the king interdicted, form some of the most interesting pages of M. Barine's volume. The account of La Voisin, sorceress and poisoner, and the question of Mme. de Montespan's guilt toward the king, afford other fascinating materials. But these are only morceaux of a book which presents us with a vivacious composite picture of the gay court, corrupt without knowing it, splendor encompassed by misery. The French nation faced a great moral crisis. Luxury had touched the limit of license. The storm was on the horizon. In the sunset of that age the red cap of the Jacobin was shadowed forth, and the crimson-dripping guillotine no less. What the Peloponnesian war did for Athens the War of the Spanish Succession did for France. The branching tree was rotted at the root—ready to fall—it needed but the breath of civil strife, the hand of an Alexander or a Bonaparte, to complete the destruction.

M. Barine's work might well be regarded as a moral apologue. But none save a Frenchman could have made a moral apologue so entertaining. A Frenchman could recast the Egyptian Book of the Dead and make it as sprightly as a feuilleton.

THE SPANISH PADRES.

In and Out of the Old Missions. By George Wharton James. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 392 pages, illustrated. Price, $3.00.

A world of romance and a revelation of art lie hidden behind the walls of the old missions on the Pacific coast. Mr. James has gone to work to uncover them, not as a Dryasdust scholar would, but as one who venerates the old Franciscan padres and cherishes the relics of their activity. The result is a volume that is popular without being inaccurate and reliable without being profound. The historical basis of Mr. James' work is mainly Bancroft, but he has chosen so judiciously and read so widely that many recondite facts are brought to light, despite Mr. James' modest disclaimer in the Foreword. One of these concerns what might be called the history of the Inquisition in the United States. He tells it thus:

> One thing is seldom remembered by the generality of writers upon the Missions, and that is that all the Padre presidentes were functionaries of the Spanish Inquisition. Serra, Lasuen, Tapis, Sarria and Payeras were all inquisitors. But in this, as in everything else, it is personality that shows, when men are not urged on by the cries of a mob. As there was no hue and cry in California, and the hearts of the padres were humane, we have the record of but one case that ever came to trial. That was of a Spanish settler in Los Angeles, named Ramon Sotilo, who was accused of "having expressed views on religion that not even a Protestant would dare hold." The prosecutor asked that as a punishment "he be kept in jail some weeks and receive daily instruction from the mission priest." This sentence was passed upon the culprit, but in a few days he escaped from jail, and no more was ever heard of either him or his case.

The beautiful illustrations which adorn the volume show how high a type of art was reached in the architecture and decorations of the old missions. This, however, need not surprise us, for had not these padres brought with them memories of Moorish and Spanish art, of the Alhambra and Velasquez? Many of the portals and interiors shown are gems of the classic Moorish order; many of the images and utensils would do credit to the craft of a Cellini. Among these, however, cannot be counted two ecclesiastical appurtenances found at San Juan Capistrano:

> There are still several interesting relics; among others, two instruments, doubtless Indian-made, used during the Easter services. One is a board studded with handle-like irons, which, when moved rapidly from side to side, makes a hideous noise. Another is a three-cornered box, on which are similar irons, and in this a loose stone is rattled. In the service called "las tinieblas"—the utter darkness—expressive of the darkness after the crucifixion, when the church is absolutely without light, the appalling effect of these noises, heightened by the clanking of chains, is indescribable.

No better popular account of the old Missions, fast vanishing, could be found than Mr. James' interesting volume. The chapter on "Secularization" shows how soon this picturesque phase of our civilization may be a memory altogether.

BELLAMY'S PLAN REVIVED.

The Cost of Competition. By Sidney A. Reeve. New York: McClure, Phillips & Co. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 617 pages, illustrated. Price, $2.00.

Mr. Reeve, who has hitherto been known to fame only as author of a volume on "The Thermodynamics of Heat Engines," has come upon one of the kernels of truth that he scattered among socialistic fallacies. He has discovered that artificial stimulation of production increases the cost of product without adding to its value. In other words, if a hatter can manufacture hats at 10 cents apiece, but must pay a salesman 90 cents to sell them, and a newspaper 50 cents to advertise them, this means that the hat will cost the wearer $1.50.

Mr. Reeve contends that there can be no such thing as overproduction; the phenomenon ought really to be called "under purchasing power," that is, lack of means to purchase all that would be consumed. This lack of means he attributes to the necessity of keeping the large non-productive class of barterers, which includes all salesmen, storekeepers, etc., and to the costs entailed by the competitive system in other ways not concretely to be formulated in few words, but hideously obvious to every thinker. The congestion of our cities, the increase of suicide, and a score of other evils lying between these two, Mr. Reeve traces with much logical force to this "competitive" system of barter.

He predicts a day when this mad and expensive rush for business will be stopped—when "Of noise and hurry and surplus transportation there will be none at all; at each factory the nation's store of that particular produce; near each city, but not in it, accessible to transport, a warehouse stored with the city's needs; in each ward or precinct a retail bazar, a World's Fair in miniature, a modern department store swelled like a popcorn, for supply of and in touch with individual needs."

These who read "Looking Backward" will remember that this was Edward Bellamy's ideal, and in fact Mr. Reeve's book is simply a scientific presentation of Bellamy's "nationalism." The great value of the work consists in its clearly showing that all retail stores and all booming methods of one producer to get more business than his neighbor, have to be paid for by the consumer and consequently decrease his purchasing power. But there is sterling logic and sane conservatism throughout, with a wonderful power of clear-cut expression. Mr. Reeve's comparison of the two savages with 10 hares and 20 fishes ought to become a classic like Paley's watch.

He does not make it clear that the abolition of the evils of barter will not also check enterprise and invention. But he presents so many vital ideas under a new light, and writes without the rancor of the average socialist, that his book deserves to be read by every earnest student of economic and sociological problems. It is the most important work in this field since Bolen's "Getting a Living" appeared two years ago.

A BLANK-VERSE TRAGEDY.

Tristram and Isoult. By Martha W. Austin Boston: Richard G. Badger. 64 pages. Price, $1.00.

There are some fine lines in Miss Austin's blank verse tragedy. Especially does one of Isoult's rejoinders to King Mark breathe true poetic fire and deal in picturesque images. She cries:

> We shall not meet in Hell,
> Where the lean flame drips red along its blade
> As if with blood, thou scarcely shalt be found.
> The coward hath a hell unto himself,
> Where very fire looks white and licks blue lips,
> Crouches and creeps and cowers on the ground;
> Threatens the death it dare not deal, and burns
> Not, though it blacken'th.

Yeats or Symons might have written this; the diction is full of fine surprises and mystic lights. Of course, there are lapses into commonplace, and the drama is hopelessly undramatic. But the book is unlike most poetic dramas, which are neither dramatic nor poetry.

LORE OF THE HAND.

The Hand. By Lewis Dayton Burdick. Oxford, N. Y.: The Irving Company. 238 pages. Price, $1.50.

A collection of curious lore and legends relating to the hand, this volume shows wide reading and industry. The various biblical passages referring to the hand are supplemented with scores of facts and traditions from Assyrian, Egyptian and other old records. The healing hand, the lore of the fingers, the hand in ceremonials, divination, lustration and reckoning, are all dealt with. It is a most exhaustive collection of quaint beliefs and picturesque superstitions.

A LITTLE WHITTIER BOOK.

The Story of Whittier. By Virginia Heath. Portland, Me.: The L. H. Nelson Company. 32 pages, illustrated. Price, 15 cents.

New England's gentle poet of nature is written of in simple language by Miss Heath. The printed story is illustrated by 19 reproductions from drawings or from photographs, among the latter a rare picture of "Barbara Frietchie" and of the famous house from which "all day long that free flag tossed, over the heads of the rebel host." It would be a good book for schools.

NEW EDUCATIONAL BOOKS.

A number of new text-books in various departments have just come from the press of the American Book Company. Perhaps the most important of them is "Essentials in Mediaeval and Modern History," by Samuel Bannister Harding. This work, published in the Essentials in History series, edited by Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart, begins with a survey of the world from the fall of the Western Empire to the year 800. The book includes such recent happenings as the separation of Norway from Sweden, and the terms of peace between Japan and Russia.

"Knights' Primer of Essentials in Grammar and Rhetoric," by Marietta Knight, is an inexpensive little manual, both compact and useful, just what the title implies.

Dumas' "Excursions sur les Bords du Rhin," edited by Theodore Henckels, shows Dumas' great powers as a story teller; the stories themselves are as old as the Rhine, but in his telling they gain fresh charm. The volume offers excellent material for students commencing to read connected French.

"Flores de Espana," edited by C. Fontaine, contains nine stories by four of the leading Spanish writers, Antonio de Trueba, Juan Valera, G. Martinez Sierra, and Emilia Pardo Bazan. They are easy and have been carefully selected.

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"Merrill's Elementary Text-Book of Theoretical Mechanics," by George A. Merrill, and "Conant's Original Exercises in Plane and Solid Geometry," by Levi L. Conant, are admirably practical and clear; well-printed volumes embodying the latest pedagogical ideals.

THE NEW ACADEMICIAN.

Maurice Barres, the French novelist of renown, who has just been elected to membership in the academy, is probably a firm believer in the necessity of judicious self-advertisement on the part of any author who wants to achieve a really big popular success. He undoubtedly would be in hearty agreement with the eminent English literary authority who recently declared with reluctance that the practice of what he termed "charlatanism" was essential nowadays, to winning fame and fortune in the crowded profession of letters.

It is true that M. Barres—who has been elected to the academy to succeed the late Jose de Heredia—is now eminently and entirely dignified. In fact, Barres no longer even deigns to provide his romances with plots, but fills them up with long-winded discussions and theorizings about the needs of contemporary France. The methods pursued by the new academician were vastly different, however, when at the age of twenty-odd he started out to make a name for himself in the literary world.

Having attracted some attention by means of a laudatory article on Auguste Vacquerie, the youthful Barres brought out a magazine of his own called "Les Taches d'Encre" (Spots of Ink), which was perhaps chiefly remarkable for the audacity with which it was advertised. For instance, when a certain banker named Morin had been assassinated under sensational circumstances, and all Paris was talking of the crime, Barres sent out an army of sandwichmen bearing this legend on their boards:

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However, there must have been some promise in the periodical, for Jules Claretie, the director of the French National theater, wrote to a friend: "I have just received a paper called 'Les Taches d'Encre,' bearing the signature of Maurice Barres. The name means nothing to you? Then bear it in mind, for it is going to become celebrated."

It did, for with full-blooded romances like his "Amateur of Souls," his "Free Man" and his "Cultte of Me," Barres gained the right to produce purely psychological studies of the kind he is now turning out. Aged 43, he has worked in many fields, as his books "Eight Days With Renan," "The Tactics of Infantry Combat" and "The Assassination of Federalism" amply prove. Incidentally M. Barres is one of the chief contributors to Brunetieres' famous review, "Les Deux Mondes."

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AUDIENCE IS AGAIN LARGE

To Americans Sardou's drama of Italian love, villainy and tragic consequences is more or less familiar. Fanny Davenport made us acquainted with Floria La Tosca in our own tongue, and played the role with almost uniform success up to the end of her career. It was as this heroine that Madame Bernhardt made her third appearance at the Belasco. The performance followed closely the lines already laid down by the French actress in her former use of the play in this country. Sardou in "La Tosca" is more subtle and less artificial and tricky in his stage mechanism. The roles of Floria La Tosca and Baron Scarpia stand out as chief figures. Indeed, so much is this the case that all the other figures are only supplemental to the action. In Tosca, and, to a hardly less degree, in Scarpia, we find a war of emotions, sinister and repellant it is true, but powerful in their sweep and in the tragic end to which they bring their victims.

It is in the success or failure of the players of these parts to properly set forth in all their sharpness and intensity the passions of love, hate, lust, craft and revenge that the drama finds its greatest power. It was my first view of the French actress during the present visit, and I had only my memories of her former triumphs to guide me. She is still the wonderful Bernhardt when it comes to those perfect tricks of illusion for which she is famous, and I imagine under proper physical conditions she is still the exponent of perfect emotionalism that the world has come to regard as sui generis. Only twice last night, however, did the great actress shake off completely a certain languor of both body and voice. In the moment when she struggles with her grief and horror at the sight of her tortured lover and finally flings at Scarpia the secret he seeks, and in that quick flash of passion and revenge when she kills her tormentor, the old Bernhardt fire burned to a blaze and held the attention with a tenseness that was almost painful. Otherwise the actress played with languid interest. Even the vibrant voice had lost for the nonce its pure quality, and once or twice jangled like sweet bells out of tune. In any other actress than Bernhardt these conditions of physical weariness would have been fatal to the play. So great is the woman's reserve power, however, and so admirable the technique which is at her command that she saved the situation and may even to many have seemed her normal self.

It is indeed wonderful how in the face of physical and mental strain this actress continues to inspire the greatest enthusiasm by her art. The audience last night was not greatly stirred, but it was an attentive audience. From the moment Floria entered the nave of the church in which her lover worked until she was dragged forcibly from the side of his dead body her presence, her voice, the witchery of that mimic power which is hers in such abundant measure, held the eye and ear at close focus. There were times when a wave of subdued applause broke out, and in the two supreme moments of the play it arose to noisy demonstration. Madame Bernhardt is still the great actress, but last night she was plainly the tired woman as well. There is no indication in the last scene of Floria's suicide as in former productions, but in every other particular of importance the play was given intact.

Of the company M. De Max as Scarpia was the chief power. This actor is one of marvelous suggestive force. His Scarpia is never blatant and rarely given to outbursts or other obvious indications of villainy, but it is subtly suggestive in psychological influence. He has perfect control of the fundamental qualities of the actor's art and by inflection, facial expression and control of the entire physical and mental poise he gives the impression of the craft, passion and treachery of Sardou's villainous baron. In other respects the company played in the key set by the star. Everything was technically admirable, but there was a lack of spontaneity and fire of movement. M. Deneubourg was excellent as Mario, as was M. Krauss as Angelotti. It was somewhat a surprise to me to find the enunciation of nearly all the subordinate players defective. The disposition to slide over the final "r" in words is not Parisian French in purity, but affectation. Madame Bernhardt and M. De Max were not given to it, but nearly all the other players exhibited this comic newspaper tendency with their pronunciation.

In the afternoon Mme. Bernhardt appeared as "Adrienne Lecouvreur," in her own play of that title. It is a miserable concoction of improbabilities and absurdities, weak in spots and ridiculous in others. Moreover, it gives the actress but few opportunities to show her powers. It is no exaggeration to say that Mme. Barbier did the best work as La Duchesse de Bouillon, though Mme. Bernhardt's death scene redeemed much of what had gone before. M. Mathillon played Voltaire with "l'eternel sourire" of tradition, but with little else. M. de Max interpreted a minor role with much power. The weakness of the drama was accentuated by the omission of the scene before the last.

This afternoon "Camille" will be given and tonight the engagement will close with a performance of "Sapho."

CHARLES M. BREGG.

MME. BERNHARDT,
In "La Tosca."

As Don Carlos in Schiller's Masterpiece Actor Wins New Laurels.

THE PRODUCTION IS BEAUTIFUL

To put Schiller's "Don Carlos" upon the English-speaking stage should be characterized either as an act of artistic heroism or—foolhardiness. To put it on as Mr. Mansfield did last night at the Nixon theater, with a lavish scenic investiture and careful devotion to detail, deserves all praise, and yet it may be doubted whether the results are satisfactory. Insuperable difficulties are in the way. If the drama were played as Schiller wrote it, eight hours would probably be required. The merciless cutting which had to be done, and was done as judiciously as possible, makes it difficult to follow the complicated plot. Doubtless there were many people in the theater last night who up to the fourth act regarded the Marquis of Posa as a traitor to his friend, because the scenes between Philip and Posa, with other scenes between Carlos and Posa, and between the Queen and Posa, had to be ruthlessly eliminated. All this involves the character of Posa, with the motive of his conspiracy and sacrifice, which form the crucial climax of the play, in some obscurity.

But what's to be done? Would any American audience sit eight hours to listen to grand ideals of intellectual liberty set forth even by such a master poet as Schiller? The dramatic defect of "Don Carlos" lies here: Schiller began the drama as the love story of the unhappy prince, whose bride had been filched by his royal father, but by the third act Schiller had forgotten the love story and proceeded to make it the vehicle of his liberal thought. As "William Tell" is the glorification of political liberty, so "Don Carlos" is the apotheosis of the freedom of thought. The Marquis of Posa is the champion of these ideals, and the great German actors usually play this role.

Mr. Mansfield, however, has chosen to portray the love story of the prince rather than the dreams of Frederick Schiller. The Marquis of Posa is cut down to a subsidiary figure, and in the forefront we have a pathetic psychological study of a prince who is swayed alternately by passion and ambition, by distrust and devotion, a plaything of fate, a sort of Hamlet without even a ghostly guide. Not only by his costume, but by his facial makeup did Mr. Mansfield bring out this duality and vacillation in the character. Doubtless he was guided to some extent in this devious analysis by the picture which Balzac, in "Catharine de Medici," has painted of a similar weakling prince, Charles IX. of France. Once Balzac tells how the young king, "weary with the day's hunting, looked to be 40 years old." Balzac describes wrinkles on that face "which would have been eloquent indeed to any student whose premature genius had led him to divine the principles of modern physiology." There are so many traits in Mr. Mansfield's Carlos which remind one of Balzac's Charles that the analogy can hardly be fortuitous.

Carlos is the plaything of fate. Indecision and despair are his moods until the murder of his friend, by the king's orders, wakes his manhood, and leads him to defy and denounce the king in a scene that was tremendous in its power. Nor have we seen Mr. Mansfield, since he sat upon the battlefield of Philippi, portray the funeral of hope with deeper pathos than on his last exit in "Don Carlos."

The supporting company was excellent in spots, inadequate in others. Fuller Mellish gave a realistic character study of King Philip; Walter Howe played the Grand Inquisitor with fine effect, A. G. Andrews was a frank and manly Posa; Clarence Handysides' Domingo was effective though conventional. Leslie Kenyon's Duke of Alva was hardly sinister enough, and Miss Eleanor Barry's Princess Eboli leaned strongly to the melodramatic. Miss Florence Rockwell as the Queen did well in some of the later scenes, but was rather weak at the beginning. The rest of the cast were fair.

For the stage settings only one word is apt—they were magnificent, and contributed no little to the illusion by their historic accuracy.

This afternoon Mr. Mansfield plays Arthur Dimmesdale in Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter" and tonight the dual role in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

GEORGE SEIBEL.

RICHARD MANSFIELD.
As Don Carlos.

MRS. AMMON FOR GUTHRIE.

Gives Out Letter Urging Women to Get Into Fight for Mayor and "Business" Councilman.

Mrs. Edith Darlington Ammon of Shady avenue has given out a letter urging women to support George W. Guthrie for mayor. Mrs. Ammon appeals for a business administration of municipal affairs. She wants all councilmen who "dodge" council meetings to be given a hasting "2" by the voters of Pittsburgh, and for the people who elect "business" councilmen to stand by and support them after election.

Mrs. Ammon states there are too many councilmen, elected on "good government" and similar platforms who desert the straight and narrow path for the primrose road of easy sailing after they become familiar with the situation in the councils. In conclusion Mrs. Ammon projects a few wordy bouquets at the men who stood steadfast in their desires for municipal reform, and asks the women of Pittsburgh to see that more real reformers are elected this month.

Illinois Academy Burns.

DIXON, ILL., Feb. 9.—The Francis Shimer academy at Mount Carroll, Ill., affiliated with the University of Chicago, burned today. The center hall and the east and south wings were destroyed. The loss is $50,000, insurance half. Trustees of the academy decided to rebuild at once.

Ingram Republicans Hold Smoker.

The quarterly smoker of the Ingram Republican club was held last evening in the club rooms in Ingram avenue. Addresses were given by George V. Hosack, county treasurer, and James R. Penny, president of the club. Music was furnished by a male quartet and refreshments were served.

MOON'S TOTAL ECLIPSE IS UNUSUALLY BRIGHT

Director Frank Schlesinger of the Allegheny observatory obtained six very good photographs of the eclipse of the moon early yesterday morning, two of the total phase and two of the partial phase. The photographs were taken with a 30-inch equatorial telescope, made especially for that purpose. Director Schlesinger said that notwithstanding a rather heavy haze partially obscured the heavens during the entire period of the eclipse, it was not sufficiently thick to prevent observation. The eclipse was particularly bright, and the disc of the moon was plainly discernible through the shadows. The shadows seemed to be irregular, which is accounted for by the atmosphere of the earth, caused by the recent storms. Had it not been for these clouds the moon would have been absolutely invisible.

Prof. William R. Brooks of the Geneva (N. Y.) observatory also took several excellent views of the eclipse in the total phase, with the aid of a 10-inch telescope. Dr. Brooks also described the eclipse as being unusually bright, although the sky was also clouded in Geneva.

KAISER GIVES HIS PHOTO TO AMERICAN PROFESSOR

BERLIN, Feb. 9.—Prof. Francis Greenwood Peabody of Harvard university delivered his final lecture in German today, summarizing his work here. After the lecture Dr. Studt, the minister of education, expressed hearty thanks. Count Von Schmettow, the emperor's adjutant, was present in behalf of the emperor, who sent the professor his photograph with an autograph.

RIVER IS FROZEN OVER, HUNDREDS GO SKATING

Hundreds of people from Pittsburgh, Allegheny and suburban towns enjoyed skating on the back river at McKees Rocks yesterday. At Brunot's and Neville Island fully 1,000 persons were skating until a late hour last night. The skating is said to be the finest in years.

Case of Smallpox in Allegheny.

Harry Edwards of St. Clair terrace, Allegheny, who is supposed to be suffering from an attack of smallpox, was sent to the North Side Municipal hospital yesterday afternoon.

LARKIN AT CITY HALL AFTER LONG ABSENCE

After an absence of three or four weeks Controller Larkin returned to his office yesterday afternoon and began to prepare a mass of figures on the appropriations. The controller is expected to send a communication to councils on Monday.

Assistant Controller Morrow yesterday learned that a bill had been introduced in the New York senate to remove the legal bar raised at the previous legislature against bonds of cities or states that have at any time defaulted in the payment of interest on their bonds. This included Pittsburgh, and last year New York investors could not touch the Pittsburgh filtration bonds. If the law is repealed as proposed the New York market will be open this year to the $4,000,000 worth of bonds to be issued for filtration, judgments and water extension.

Councilman William Martin said yesterday that the Republicans would oppose the appropriation and tax levy ordinances being rushed through common council Monday night. He said the Republicans would make a fight for lower water rates.

IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

"I know it sir; I know it but too well. And M. Jacques himself knew it so well that at first he tried to find some pretext; but he has never told a falsehood—M. Jacques can't tell a falsehood. As clever as he is, he could not find a pretext that had any sense in it. He said he had gone to Brechy to see his wood merchant."

"And why shouldn't he?"

Anthony shook his head and replied, "Because the wood merchant at Brechy is a thief, and everybody knows that master kicked him out of the house some three years ago. We sell all our wood at Sauveterre."

M. Folgat had taken out a note-book, in which he wrote down some of Anthony's statements, preparing thus the outline of his defense. This being done, he resumed again. "Now we come to Cocoleu," said he.

"Ah, the wretch," cried Anthony.

"You know him?"

"How could I help knowing him, having lived all my life at Boiscoran in the service of master's uncle?"

"Then what kind of a man is he?"

"An idiot, sir, or, as they call it, an 'innocent,' who has Saint Vitus' dance into the bargain, and epilepsy, moreover."

"Then it is perfectly notorious that he is imbecile?"

"Yes, sir, although I have heard people insist that he is not quite so stupid as he looks, and that, as they say here, he plays the ass in order to get his oats——"

At this point M. de Chandore exclaimed, "On this subject Dr. Seignebos can give you all the information you may want; he kept Cocoleu for nearly two years at his own house."

"I mean to see the doctor," replied Mr. Folgat. "But first of all we must find this unfortunate idiot."

"You heard what M. Seneschal said: he has put the gendarmes on his track."

"Oh," exclaimed Anthony, "if the gendarmes have taken Cocoleu he must have given himself up voluntarily."

"Why?"

"Because there is no one who knows the by-paths and out-of-the-way corners of the country so well as that idiot; for he has been living all his life like a savage in the holes and thickets of the district; and as he can live well enough on roots and berries, maybe he will stay away three months without being seen by any one."

"Is it possible?" exclaimed M. Folgat angrily.

"I only know one man," continued Anthony, "capable of finding Cocoleu—our tenant's son, Michael—the young man you saw down stairs."

"Send for him," said M. de Chandore.

Michael appeared promptly, and, when acquainted with what he was expected to do, replied, "The thing can be managed, certainly, though not very easily. Cocoleu hasn't a man's sense, but the instincts of a brute. However, I'll try."

There was nothing to keep either M. de Chandore or M. Folgat any longer at Boiscoran; and accordingly they left the chateau, after warning Anthony to watch the seals well, and to get a glimpse, if possible, of Jacques' gun, when the officers came for the different articles required by the prosecution. It was 5 o'clock when the pair drove into town again. Denise was waiting for them in the drawing room. She rose as they entered, looking quite pale, her eyes being dry and brilliant.

"What! You are alone here?" said M. de Chandore. "Why have they left you alone?"

"Don't be angry, grandpapa. I have just prevailed on the marchioness, who was exhausted with fatigue, to lie down for an hour or so before dinner."

"And your aunts?"

"They have gone out, grandpapa. They are probably by this time at M. Galpin-Daveline's."

M. Folgat started, giving vent to an exclamation of surprise.

"It is a foolish step!" exclaimed the old gentleman; but Denise closed his lips with a single phrase.

"I asked them to go," she said.

CHAPTER V.

Yes, the step taken by the Demoiselles de Lavarande was foolish. At this point of affairs their visit to M. Galpin might perhaps supply him with the means to crush Jacques. Still it was M. de Chandore's and M. Folgat's joint fault. Had they not left Sauveterre without any other precaution than sending word through M. Seneschal's servant, that they would be in for dinner, and that Denise, her aunts and Jacques' mother need not be troubled about them?

Not be troubled!—such a message to the Marchioness de Boiscoran and Denise, to Jacques' mother, and Jacques' promised wife!

Certainly, at first, the two wretched women preserved, in a measure, their self-control, trying to surpass each other in courage and confidence. But as the hours passed by, their anxiety became intolerable; and gradually, on confiding their apprehensions to each other, their grief broke out beyond all restraint. They thought of Jacques, innocent, and yet treated like one of the worst criminals, alone in his prison cell, given up to the most horrible inspirations of despair. What had been his feelings during the 24 hours which had brought him no news from his friends? Must he not fancy himself despised and abandoned?

"It is an intolerable thought!" exclaimed Denise at last. "We must get to him at any price."

"How?" asked the marchioness.

"I don't know; but there must be some way. There are things which I would not have ventured upon so long as I was alone; but, with you by my side, I can risk anything. Let us go to the prison."

The old lady promptly donned her mantle, simply saying, "I am ready; let us go."

They had both repeatedly heard that Jacques was kept in "solitary confinement," but neither of them realized fully the meaning of that expression. They had no idea of this atrocious measure, which, so to say, immures a man alive, leaving him in his cell alone with the crime with which he is charged, and utterly at the mercy of another man, the investigating magistrate, whose duty it is to extort the truth from him. The two ladies were only cognizant of the want of liberty, the cell with its dismal fittings, the barred window, the bolted door, the jailer shaking his bunch of keys, and the tramp of the sentinel in the passage.

"They cannot," said the old lady, "refuse me permission to see my son."

"They cannot," repeated Denise. "And, besides, I know the jailer, Blangin, his wife was formerly in our service."

When the young girl, therefore, raised the heavy knocker at the prison door, she was full of cheerful confidence. It was Blangin himself who opened the latter. At the sight of the two women, his features displayed the utmost astonishment.

"We come to see M. de Boiscoran," said Denise boldly.

"Have you a permit, ladies?" asked the keeper.

"From whom?"

"From M. Galpin-Daveline."

"We have no permit."

"Then I am very sorry to have to tell you that you cannot possibly see M. de Boiscoran. He is kept in solitary confinement, and I have the strictest orders."

Denise's glance was threatening, as she sharply said: "Your orders cannot apply to this lady, the Marchioness de Boiscoran."

"My orders apply to everybody, mademoiselle."

"You would not, I am sure, keep a poor distressed mother from seeing her son?"

"Ah! but—mademoiselle—it does not rest with me. I! Who am I? Nothing more than one of the bolts, drawn or pushed at will."

For the first time, it entered the poor girl's head that her effort might fail; still she tried once more, with tears in her eyes: "But I, my dear M. Blangin, think of me! You would not refuse me? Don't you know who I am? Have you never heard your wife speak of me!"

The jailer was certainly touched. "I know," said he, "how much my wife and myself are indebted to your kindness, mademoiselle. But—I have my orders, and you surely would not wish me to lose my place."

"If you lose your place, M. Blangin, I, Denise de Chandore, promise you another place twice as good."

"Mademoiselle!"

"You do not doubt my word, M. Blangin, do you?"

"God forbid! But it's not my place only. If I did what you want me to do, I should be severely punished."

The marchioness judged from the jailer's tone that Denise was not likely to prevail over him, and so she said—"Don't insist, my child. Let us go back."

"What? Without finding out what is going on behind these pitiless walls; without knowing even whether Jacques is dead or alive?"

There was evidently a great struggle going on in the jailer's heart. All of a sudden he cast a rapid glance around and then speaking hurriedly, exclaimed—"I ought not to tell you—but never mind—I cannot let you go away without telling you that M. de Boiscoran is quite well."

"Ah!"

"Yesterday, when they brought him here, he was, so to say, overcome. He threw himself upon his bed, and he remained there without stirring for over two hours. I think he must have been crying."

A sob, which Denise could not suppress, made Blagin start. "Oh, reassure yourself, mademoiselle," he added, quickly. "That state of things did not last long. Soon M. de Boiscoran got up, and said, 'Why, I am a fool to despair.'"

"Did you hear him say so?" asked the old lady.

"Not I. It was Frumence Cheminot who heard it."

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

Company G Will Elect a Captain.

An election for captain of Company G, Eighteenth regiment, will be held at the armory, Craft avenue and Forbes street, on Tuesday night. The company has already selected ex-Major Harry D. Fowler of the Fourteenth regiment, for the two bars. The company is attached to the Third battalion, commanded by Major Edward E. Kearns. Fowler is known to be one of the best tactical officers in the Second brigade. He is a member of the North Side police force.

McKeesport Tax Is Fixed.

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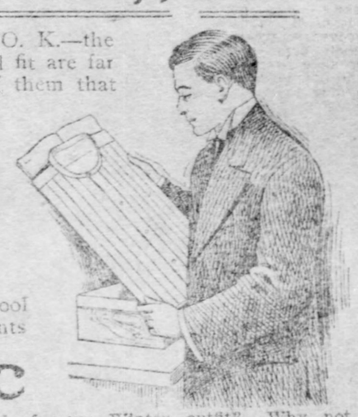

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ONTARIO LOSES TO PITTSBURGH

Canucks Make Local Leaguers Go the Route to Win the Game by 11 to 9.

ARTHUR SIXSMITH IS HURT

The Ontario hockey team scored nine goals on the Pittsburgh internationals last night and made the locals go the entire route to win, scoring the necessary goals near the finish. The Canucks had the game tied up a couple of times, but Pittsburgh was able to respond when necessary and captured the event, 11 to 9.

It was the first game since the second western trip for the locals. Capt. Arthur Sixsmith was unable to play last night because of a bad hand, received in a game at Houghton. He sat in the press box and witnessed the game. It is doubtful if he will be able to take part in many games this season.

The Ontario team is fast, and it managed to make the locals work. The hockey bug who revels in many scores had a run for his money last night, as the scores came so rapidly that it almost required an expert accountant to keep tally.

Rod Stuart began the scoring by shooting one from scrimmage and Kent followed this with a run, getting through the defense and shooting. Shea of Ontario, shot three goals in succession, two from scrimmages, putting the visitors ahead. But before the half closed Kent scored and tied the game and Stuart and Campbell followed with goals. The half closed with the score 5 to 3 in favor of Pittsburgh.

Early in the second half Cole passed to Forrester for a goal and Campbell rushed up the ice and Sixsmith shot goal. Shea shot again and Cole tied the score again by lifting the puck from the center of the rink into the cage.

Roberts and Sixsmith scored one each before McAvoy secured another. Then Stuart went through the entire field and shot. Campbell shot another, then Shea. Sixsmith got the last for Pittsburgh on a long shot and McBarton the last for Ontario, it coming from a scrimmage. The lineup:

Pittsburgh—11.		Ontario—9.
Winchester	G	Williams
Baird	P	Munford
Stuart	C. P.	Cole
Campbell	F	Forrester
G. Sixsmith	C	McAvoy
Kent	R. W.	McBarton
Roberts	L. W.	Shea

Goals—Stuart, 3, G. Sixsmith, 3, Kent 2, Campbell 2, Roberts, Shea 5, McBarton, Forrester, McAvoy, Cole. Referee—Schooley.

THE TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

The Twin City met in its weekly contests on the Federal alleys last night. Good scores, as a rule, prevailed all around. The Pioneers were the high rollers of the night, with the good score of 913. They were victorious over their opponents, the Royals, for two out of three games. Prudentials defeated the Fosters two games and the Bulls and Bears made the Maccabees look like lambs on Wall street for all three games. The Xanthas corralled all three from the Lehighs and the Primers were satisfied with two out of three games from the Black Diamonds. The high average individual bowler was Bruce, with 181 1-3, and th edouble century high rollers were Christy, 232; McMann, 217; Shokley, 213; Gillispie, 210; McPherson, 201, and Kapp. Games and scores:

Pioneers—			Royals—		
Hunter	158	177	157	Trautwine	168	156	147
Hooper	166	177	129	McClurg	156	152	140
Tafel	131	149	142	McKeever	137	167	142
Christy	232	138	133	M. Curry	132	124	159
Folger	175	183	156	Parks	130	120	139
Totals	913	818	714	Totals	702	868	687
Prudentials—				Fosters—			
Hambly	154	126	140	Ormiston	136	153	182
MacPherson	152	164	201	MacKenzie	141	147	189
Myers	163	164	156	Haymaker	159	181	125
Tanner	128	117	145	Meisner	163	147	168
McMunn	173	150	217	Gillespie	171	210	154
Totals	784	729	859	Totals	770	828	796
Bulls and Bears—				Maccabees—			
Ullery	132	166	151	Heilman	180	168	136
McDonald	169	147	148	Powell	133	162	134
Miller	141	107		Buskirk	129	153	158
Earle	181	162	160	Allen	113	140	136
Prince	174	177	153	Braun	188	164	166
Burrows			122				
Totals	801	757	774	Totals	743	727	730
Xanthas—				Lehighs—			
Davis	155	122	141	Thompson	121	197	107
Nixon	140	128	133	Haricastle	148	137	160
Roll	173	162	147	Klock	169	131	151
Cameron	105	157	147	Carney	109	116	178
Lamb	164	159	169	Paltsell	154	126	131
Totals	734	758	737	Totals	684	707	727
Primers—				Black Diamonds—			
Shookley	156	213	160	Richards	145	150	169
Lambie	152	168	164	Cullison	157	142	144
Burns	163	135	165	Stauft	152	167	171
Doak	170	148	151	Kapp	152	200	124
Nuss	146	149	157	McGuire	140	177	134
Totals	787	814	837	Totals	726	836	742

Leetsdale Lining Up.

The Leetsdale baseball club has chosen the following officers for the coming season: Howard B. McConnaghay, manager; James McComb, treasurer; William Leight, secretary; John Copeland, captain. The team lineup will be the same as last season, with the exception of several additional players, who have not yet been decided upon.

ALLEGHENY PREP IS DEFEATED, 33 TO 14

Pittsburgh High School Wins Basketball Game—Worcester Star of Beaten School.

The Allegheny Prep. school was beaten by Pittsburgh High school yesterday afternoon at basketball, 33 to 14. The game was fast and clean, especially in the second half. Gass again played in his superb style, while Rosser, who played at forward instead of guard, was the star of the occasion. Worrell also put up a great game. Worcester was Prep.'s mainstay, scoring 12 out of their 14 points. The lineup:

P. H. S.—33.		Prep.—14.
Rosser	F	Em. Murphy
Van Gorder	F	Applegate (Walker)
Gass	C	Worcester
Ament	G	Ed. Murphy
Worrell	G	Shilton

Goals from field—Rosser 7, Van Gorder 3, Gass 4, E. M. Murphy, Worcester 3. Fouls—Ament 5, Worcester 6. Referee and umpire—Kelley.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—In one of the most sensational basketball games yet seen on the court of the Columbia University gymnasium, Columbia was defeated by Pennsylvania tonight, 17 to 15. The game at the end of the second half was a tie. In the play-off, Flint, Pennsylvania's captain, caged a neat basket after two minutes of fast work on the part of both teams. The lineup:

Pennsylvania—17.		Columbia—15.
Flint	F	Ryan
Kelnath	F	Moore
Ehlers	C	White
Kiefaber	G	Hurley
McCrudden	G	Feitrech

Referee—Mr. A. A. Lochmuller, A. A. C. Goal from field—Ehlers, 5; Kelnath and Flint for Pennsylvania; Ryan, 2; White, Hurley, 2, for Columbia. Goals from foul—Moore (Columbia), 5; Flint (Pennsylvania), 3. Time of halves—20 minutes and an extra period of 2 minutes.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

East Liverpool wants games. Write Y. M. C. A., East Liverpool, O.

Newman plays the Allegheny Lyceum at Newman hall tonight.

The Knoxville five will line up against the Joliet five of Allegheny tonight at Young's hall, Knoxville.

Newman wants a game for this evening on home floor. Call 9170 Highland. C. E. Showalters, 7013 Susquehanna street, Pittsburgh.

A series of three games has been arranged between the De Haven five and Glenshaw. The first game will be played at De Haven tonight.

The D. L. an G. A. five wants games for Wednesdays at home and all Saturdays away from home. Write P. J. Dugan, 532 Liberty avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Greater New York team, which recently won the championship of New York, will oppose the South Side team at Odd Fellows' hall, South Side, tonight.

The Birmingham Turner Midgets would like to hear from all good 11-year-old teams having balls. Address Francis Mundy, 1506 Bingham street, South Side, city.

The Joseph Horne Company team would like to hear from all 11-year-old teams having balls. Address Louis Sewagak, care Joseph Horne Company, supply department, city.

The South Side Independents want a game for tonight at home with some good 16-year-old team. Call up 1954 Grant and ask for Miller.

The McKees Rocks A. C. has the Sharpsburg Independents on its floor tonight at McKees Rocks.

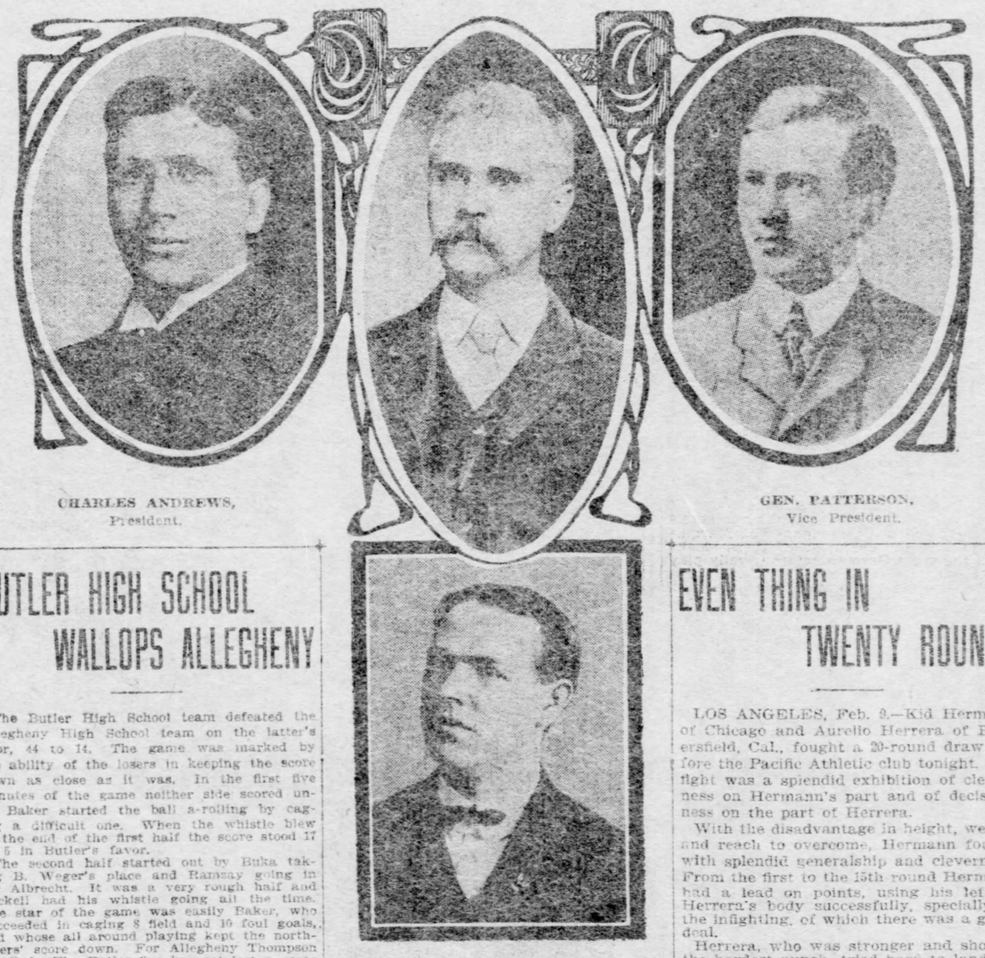
The De Havens defeated the Sharpsburg U. P. team at De Haven, 39 to 23. The goal shooting of Price and Wagner were features. Field goals—Wagner 6, Price 7, McCauley 2, Harris 3, Rowe 9, Carpenter 2, Trayer 3, Frayer 2. Foul goals—Harris 3, Rowe 3. Referee—Johnson. Timekeepers—Jim Thomas and Mercer. Scorers—Harvey W. Taylor. In the preliminary the De Haven Juniors defeated the Sharpsburg U. P. Juniors, 12 to 7. Field goals—Haye 2, Wagner, Heisel 3, Thompson 2, Jones. Foul goals—Hays, Jones.

At the Carnegie Library club of Homestead tonight the Young Americans team and the Tamaqua five will meet for the second time this season.

Trenton plays at Apolla tonight. All players report at Fort Wayne depot at 3:30 sharp. For games address A. C. Meyers, 23 Trent street, city.

The St. Marks Midgets challenge all 8-year-old teams having balls. Address William Lightbody, 41 Eighteenth street, South Side.

Directors of the New Castle Baseball Club



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BUTLER HIGH SCHOOL WALLOPS ALLEGHENY

The Butler High School team defeated the Allegheny High School team on the latter's floor, 44 to 14. The game was marked by the ability of the losers in keeping the score down as close as it was. In the first five minutes of the game neither side scored until Baker started the ball a-rolling by caging a difficult one. When the whistle blew at the end of the first half the score stood 17 to 5 in Butler's favor.

The second half started out by Buka taking B. Weger's place and Ramsay going in for Albrecht. It was a very rough half and Nickell had his whistle going all the time. The star of the game was easily Baker, who succeeded in caging 8 field and 10 foul goals, and whose all around playing kept the northsiders' score down. For Allegheny Thompson excelled. The Butler five has not lost a game since its organization last year. Lineup:

A. H. S.—14.		B. H. S.—44.
Albrecht	F	Baker (capt.)
Thompson (capt.)	F	Forsythe
E. Weger	C	Tapham
B. Weger	G	Ralston
Gray	G	Gomer

Substitution—Ramsay for Albrecht, Buka for B. Weger. Foul goals—Baker, 10; Thompson, 6. Field goals—Baker, 8; Forsythe, 6; Tapham, 2; Gerner, Thompson, B. Weger, Ramsey, Buka. Scorer—Harter. Referee—Heinie Nickell of South Side.

RUNS IN THE SNOW IN HIS BARE FEET

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Louis Yokel, the wrestler of this place, who has signed to wrestle Harvey Parker at the Academy of Music in Pittsburgh the latter part of the month, began training yesterday. With the streets coated with snow and ice, he ran four blocks in his bare feet and then stood in the snow to his knees and had his picture taken. Yokel says this is the kind of training that makes a wrestler tough. It helps his foot work and half of his wrestling is done with his legs, says Yokel. He will take a run in his bare feet outdoors every day until the contest.

Leetsdale Beats Sewickley.

Sewickley—47.		Leetsdale—81.
Gray	F	Sprouls
Miller	F	Campbell
Walker	C	Good
Neely	G	Seaman
Douglas	G	Barrett

Field goals—Gray 3, Miller 2, Walker 9, Neely 4, Douglas 4, Sprouls 5, Campbell 2, Good 3, Seaman, Barrett 2. Foul goals—Walker 2, Campbell 5. Referee—Mould. Time of halves—20 minutes.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL NEWS

SALTSBURG, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The Kiski basketball team defeated Geneva college in the gymnasium here this evening, 26 to 21, in a fast and well-played game. The visitors worked hard, but were outclassed in speed and accuracy. McGregor, McCreight and Herbert were the foremost for Kiski, while McClurkin for Geneva did especially good work. Lineup:

Kiski—26.		Geneva—21.
McCreight	F	McClurkin
Herbert	F	Walker
Kumler	C	Thompson
McGregor	G	George
Andrew	G	Russell

Field goals—McCreight 4, Herbert 3, McGregor 1, Andrew, McClurkin 5, Walker, Thompson. Foul goals—McCreight 4, McClurkin 2, Walker 3. Referee—McCall.

The Wooster university basketball team will meet the W. U. P. team at Duquesne garden amphitheater tonight at 8 o'clock. Since the last game between these two teams on New Year's night the W. U. P. team has been playing some hard college games and is putting up a fast article of ball. No preliminary games will be played, as Wooster must leave town tonight. Referee Kelly's whistle will start the game promptly at 8 o'clock.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Yale and Harvard universities have requested Charles H. Schweppe of this city to act as chairman of the Yale-Harvard regatta committee and he has decided to accept the position. Mr. Schweppe is a graduate of Harvard of the class of 1902, and while in the university was manager of the varsity crew.

McKeesport Loses Again.

At McKeesport last evening the Tamaqua team again beat McKeesport's strong team, 40 to 31. Lineup:

Tamaqua—40.		McKeesport—31.
O'Donnell	F	Tannehill
Allen	F	Graham
Mullinger	C	Metzges
Wilson	G	Cashdollar
Fogarty	G	Stewart

Substitutes—Parker for Stewart, Myers for Metzges, Rohen for Tannehill. Field goals—Tannehill 2, Graham 3, Cashdollar 2, Stewart, Parker 2, O'Donnell 5, Allen, Mullinar 4, Fogarty 6. Foul goals—Graham 11, Fogarty 8. Referee—Kelly.

FLINN TO BE TRIED BY THE WAYNESBURG CLUB

Milt Montgomery will give George Flinn, a Sharpsburg outfielder, a trial on his Waynesburg team.

Tom McNamara is requested to call at this office Sunday evening.

The Newark team of the O. and P. league has signed "Peggy" Moore, a pitcher from Tuscarawas, who was once given a brief trial by the Pittsburgs, and Outfielder Dedie Drake, who was with Akron and Massillon last season. Drake played a star game for Massillon. Capt. Hayes of Newark also intimates that Pitcher Loyd Chambers of Denison and Pitcher Webb of Wesleyan will be seen in Newark uniforms when the college season is ended.

LIVE BIRD SHOOT ON LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

Next Monday the Herron Hill Gun club will hold a live bird handicap shoot. It will be in celebration of Lincoln's birthday. A silver cup, donated by John H. Pontefract, will be awarded to the winner. The shoot will be at 25 pigeons, and the usual handicap of distance and number of birds will prevail. The shoot will begin at 1 o'clock and if the entries are so many that it will be impossible to finish at 4:30 the number of birds will be cut down to 20 or 15.

Every Saturday afternoon sweepstake shooting at live birds takes place on the grounds of the club on Davis Island. A shoot will take place this afternoon.

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EVEN THING IN TWENTY ROUNDS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—Kid Hermann of Chicago and Aurelio Herrera of Bakersfield, Cal., fought a 20-round draw before the Pacific Athletic club tonight. The fight was a splendid exhibition of cleverness on Hermann's part and of decisiveness on the part of Herrera.

With the disadvantage in height, weight and reach to overcome, Hermann fought with splendid generalship and cleverness. From the first to the 15th round Hermann had a lead on points, using his left to Herrera's body successfully, specially in the infighting, of which there was a great deal.

Herrera, who was stronger and showed the hardest punch, tried hard to land his knock-out on the jaw, but did not land it squarely during the entire fight. He staggered Hermann several times by hitting him on the back of the neck and head, but the clever ducking and quick recovery of the Chicago lad saved him from serious harm.

After the tenth round Hermann gave his attention to Herrera's face and head, using a stiff left jab that found its mark on Herrera's face many times. As long as he boxed with Herrera and kept him from setting himself for a blow, Hermann had the advantage, but in the exchanges Herrera's superior hitting ability told.

BATTLING NELSON POSTS HIS FORFEIT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Any lingering doubts there may have been regarding the meeting in the ring of Terry McGovern and Battling Nelson have been settled. The $2,000 forfeit money has been received from Billy Nolan, Nelson's manager. Joe Humphrey, acting for McGovern, posted his forfeit several weeks ago, and the National Athletic club, which secured the bout, also attended to this detail some time ago.

With the arrival of the Nelson coin, the match is guaranteed. Part of the money posted by each pugilist is to guarantee that he will weigh in under 135 pounds on the day of the bout.

The date of the bout has been set for March 14. McGovern will start training next week, while Nelson will begin to do his hard work in this city in two weeks.

JOE ALTON KNOCKS OUT KID MANNING

The boxing exhibition given by the East Pittsburgh Athletic club last evening was a fizzle. A small crowd attended and on this account several bouts were called off, eight rounds being the extent of the show. Joe Alton, 122 pounds, of Pittsburgh, knocked out Kid Manning of Millvale, in the middle of the third round with a right swing to the jaw. The first two rounds were fast and the fighting punished both severely, but in the third Alton had his man sized up, and feinted him out, landing a knockout.

Manning created a small panic by claiming that the referee had counted too fast, and the ring was invaded by the throng, but the decision stood.

Frank and Hugh Madole of East Pittsburgh boxed five rounds in a friendly bout to no decision.

Chess Tournament a Success.

The management of the chess tournament now in progress in the rooms of the Pittsburgh Chess club, Kuhn Law building, Diamond street, announces that it has been decided to accept new entries for three days longer. At present there are 22 players engaged in the tournament and the eight outside players are doing well and one of them is expected to finish third and possibly second. In all it will be necessary to play 462 games.

OLYMPIA BOYS STILL IN LEAD

Defeat the Arlingtons in a Pool Championship Game by a Good Margin.

RESULTS OF OTHER MATCHES

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Olympia	17	3	.850	Glenwood	10	10	.500
Arlington	14	6	.700	Crescent	10	10	.500
Vorwerck	13	7	.650	Union	9	11	.450
Federal	13	7	.650	Primrose	5	15	.250
Garfield	11	9	.550	Friendship	5	15	.250
Demmel	11	9	.550	Lyceum	2	18	.100

The 20th round of the Allegheny County Pool league was played last night and the Olympias still retain first place by defeating Arlington. The champion Vorwercks had it out with the Demmels on the Demmel tables, and the champions came out a winner. The Federals had it very easy with the Garfields, and McCabe had the game well in hand at all times. The Garfield boys were away off and handed the game to the Federals. Union walloped Friendship by a one-sided score, and the Crescents came out ahead of Glenwood and promise to make a record for themselves from now on. The Lyceum again forfeited, this time to Primrose.

The high scores of the evenings were made by McCabe of the Federals, with 50; Aul of Demmel, 49; Ernest of Vorwerck, 47; Cronin of Crescents, 46; Tomlison of Union, 45; Coulter of Olympia, 41. The scores follow:

At Olympia—			Arlington—	
Olympia—				
Gleason	28		Porte	18
Coulter	41		Miller	32
Paul	34		Birch	34
Total	101		Total	84

Scratches—Olympia, 1; Arlington, 4. Referee—Caldwell. Scorer—Reilly.

At Demmel—			Vorwerck—	
Demmel—				
Klausen	22		Ernest	47
Aul	49		Vorwerck	25
Coates	14		Elson	33
Total	85		Total	105

Scratches—Demmel, 3; Vorwerck, 5. Referee—Krause. Scorer—Zoller.

At Garfield—			Federal—	
Garfield—				
Dogler	17		Ritchie	26
Yahrling	11		Glass	25
Rampanelli	31		McCabe	50
Total	69		Total	101

Scratches—Garfield, 7; Federal, 1. Referee—Stack. Scorer—Shutgold.

At Crescent—			Glenwood—	
Crescent—				
Ramsey	29		Whittaker	20
Cronin	46		Merriman	41
Baker	28		Valentine	18
Total	103		Total	79

Scratches—Crescent, 3; Glenwood, 7. Referee—Covel. Scorer—Graham.

At Union—			Friendship—	
Union—				
Tomlison	45		Cook	15
Seewald	21		Moorhead	12
Black	36		Frankhauser	20
Total	102		Total	47

Scratches—Union, 1; Friendship, 8. Referee—Prezge. Scorer—Armandt.

At Lyceum—The Lyceums forfeited to the Primroses.

A meeting of the Allegheny County Pool league will be held in the rooms of the Demmel Social club, 2619 Sarah street, South Side, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp. All managers are requested to be present, as important business is to be transacted. Any team desiring to take the place of Lyceum will please have a representative present. The managers of the Vorwerck, Glenwood and Friendship teams please be on hand, as the meeting called for last Tuesday was postponed on account of them not showing up. All teams will please bring names of their five players, as this will be final as to players eligible to play until after the next meeting.

East Liverpool Wins.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The Greater New York opened its western trip here tonight and was defeated in a rough game, 28 to 20. Score:

E. Liverpool—28.		Greater N. Y.—20.
E. Powell	F	Bamman
Smith	F	Brennan
W. Powell	C	McGraw
Cartwright	G	Varley
Lane	G	Coffey

AMONG THE BOXERS.

Joe Gans announces that he is ready to meet Jimmy Britt or Battling Nelson on the same night, each for 20 rounds. Joe is foolish.

The National club, a new one in Indianapolis, has matched Jack Blackburn and Kid Wilson, both colored, for the opening card on March 6.

Jack Root is training at West Baden, Ind., for his fight with Fred Russel at Kalamazoo on February 26. Russell will weigh over 200 pounds. There is talk of another match between Root and Marvin Hart.

Kid O'Brien is not much thought of at Charleroi. Prof. Wyan will have nothing to do with him until he posts $100 to guarantee his appearance against a 105-pound man selected by the professor.

The Sterling Athletic club of Wilkinsburg held a smoker in its rooms on Wood street last evening, during which the members indulged in boxing and wrestling matches, exhibitions of club swinging, bag punching, tumbling and acrobatic feats on the bars and rings. The club has only recently been organized, but already has a membership of 52 and through the interest displayed a thoroughly equipped gymnasium has been installed. A number of these free exhibitions will be given from time to time during the cold weather.

CONFLICTING DATES WILL BE VERY FEW

National and American League Teams to Buck Against Each Other 24 Times.

NINE CONFLICTS AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—President Ban. B. Johnson of the American league announces that the schedules of the two big leagues had been arranged in such a way that there would be but 24 conflicts during the coming playing season, instead of the large number announced before. Chicago will have but nine conflicting dates instead of 13, as was originally planned. Eight of these will be on Sunday and the other on Saturday. In other cities New York will have four clashes, St. Louis six, Philadelphia three and Boston two.

President Johnson will leave for New York at the end of the week in order to attend the schedule meeting of the two leagues, which will be held on February 14.

MIKE DONLIN IS RELEASED ON BAIL

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 9.—The cases of the three baseball players, Michael J. Donlin of the New York Nationals, Walter W. Bennett of the Southern league and John J. McGrath, all of whom were arrested here yesterday, charged with intoxication and breach of the peace on a New York Central passenger train, were adjourned today for two weeks.

An additional charge of assault was preferred against Donlin by a train porter, who alleged that Donlin had pointed a loaded revolver at him. All three players pleaded not guilty to the charges. They were liberated on bail.

NEW TROTTING CIRCUIT TO BE FORMED NEXT WEEK

CANTON, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Secretary Yost of the Canton Driving Park Company announced today that a new racing circuit will be formed in Ohio, after the meeting of the Pittsburgh, Monongahela and Ohio Valley circuit in Pittsburgh next week. It will be composed of Rockport, Canal Dover, Canton, Warren, East Liverpool, Beaver Falls, Steubenville and Wheeling. Secretary Yost will go to Pittsburgh to arrange dates for the opening of the new circuit. The Canton Driving Park Company will hold two meets this year, one in July and one in September.

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NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

LOHR IS SET FREE BY GREENSBURG GRAND JURY

On Hearing the Decision He Exclaimed With Fervor, "I Knew Christ Was on My Side."

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Feb. 9.—"I told you so. I knew Christ was on my side, and that He would appear for me. I was always sure that I would not be convicted. Glory to God!" exclaimed Adam Lohr, who was charged with necromancy in having caused Mr. and Mrs. Samuel James of Cook township to lose their reason, this afternoon, when he learned the grand jury had ignored the bill against him.

District Attorney Jesse E. B. Cunningham was unable to secure evidence to substantiate the charge against Lohr and instructed the grand jury to return the bill without its sanction. Rushing into the room reserved for witnesses Lohr kissed his wife and then started for Pleasant Unity, where he had been staying with disciples.

Lohr's teachings so unbalanced the minds of Mr. and Mrs. James that they destroyed a great part of the furniture in their home and offered up a young steer as a sacrifice. They were brought to the county home raving maniacs, but recovered their reason in part, and are now convalescent at their home.

Pay $560 an Acre for Coal Land.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—A sale has just been closed for 347 acres of coal land in Cumberland township at the highest figure ever paid for Greene county coal. The coal was bought from the Hart heirs and Jacob Stone at $560 an acre by J. B. F. Rinehart, I. N. Keehn, C. K. Hartley, Albert Adamson, Eli G. Bailey, J. A. F. Randolph and H. F. Bailey of Waynesburg. The tract is on the proposed route of the Uniontown & Wheeling railroad.

High School Girl Elopes.

IRWIN, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Parents and friends today were surprised by the announcement that Laura H. Lafferty and John Sistek were married at Cumberland, Md., yesterday. The bride is 16 years old and was attending High school. She is the daughter of one of Irwin's best known residents. The groom is a few years her senior and owns a barber shop.

Homes, Business Properties,

farms, lands, acreage and manufacturing sites will appear in the big classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

WASHINGTON.—Andy Zeiny is in jail here, charged with attempting to wreck a trolley car near Charleroi.

WASHINGTON.—The livery barn of William and Harry Thompson at this place, was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $4,000, partially covered by insurance.

SHARON.—A shifting engine killed Michael Dillon, aged 55, at the North works of the Carnegie Steel Company. He was foreman of the track repairers. His widow and several children survive.

NEW CASTLE.—James G. Leddy, a well known tailor was found unconscious in his apartments by his sister-in-law, Miss Statts. He had been overcome by natural gas. Leddy was with difficulty revived and taken to the hospital.

NEW CASTLE.—Mayor Hainer declared that representatives of street car fenders offer money to secure the selection of their pattern for use on the street cars here. The traction company will hold private tests next week of a fender invented by two motormen of Pittsburgh.

IRWIN.—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Carolyn Duella Good of Irwin, and Robert Conner Shaw of Greensburg, county superintendent of schools. Shaw was formerly principal of the Irwin High school. The wedding will take place the latter part of this month.

IRWIN.—Vice-President A. B. Floyd of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the Pittsburgh diocese has made arrangements for a big rally at Monessen next Sunday. The meeting will be held in St. Leonard's church. The recently organized society, 75 strong, headed by the Cadets of Charleroi, will attend in a body.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

BEAVER.—Dr. Robert S. Kennedy of New Sheffield died suddenly last night of apoplexy, aged 65. He was born in Independence township, attended Beaver academy, the University of Michigan, and in 1866 was graduated from the Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia. He leaves his widow and one son, Dr. Owen M. Kennedy of Beaver, and one daughter, Mrs. George I. Park of Beaver.

TOLEDO.—Judge Lewis Pike, a member of the Toledo bar for half a century, an ex-common pleas judge and one of the best-known Masons in Ohio, died today from a general breakdown. He was aged 86.

NEW CASTLE.—Mrs. Martha Vandivort, aged 85, is dead at Washington. Her husband, Samuel Vandivort, died five years ago. She is survived by three children, Theodore of Wilkinsburg, Alfred of this city and Elizabeth of Mahoningtown.

NEW CASTLE.—Bazaleel Pitzer, aged 80, died at his home at West Pittsburgh. He leaves a widow, three sons and three daughters; also three brothers and one sister.

A little each week saved on butter, eggs, cheese, dressed poultry, etc., is as good as a little in the savings bank. Buy here and it increases your bank account. McCann & Co., 413-415 Market street.

WASHINGTON LICENSE LIST IS HANDED DOWN

Judge McIlvaine Grants 51 Out of Total of 69 Applications—Wholesalers Refused.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 9.—Judge McIlvaine today handed down his decisions in the liquor license applications in Washington county. Out of a total of 69 applicants 51 were granted, three less than last year. Of these 36 were for retail, nine brewers and six distillers. All the wholesale licenses were refused. The following licenses were granted:

Retail—Carroll township, William Abbott, Mary Noble, Ellsworth, C. A. Alcox, East Pike Run township, David J. Davis, Fredericktown, Walter S. Bower, Millsboro, J. H. Moore, Finleyville, N. C. Morrison, M. J. Hayden, McDonald, Tomassey and Valentour, Conner and Frankie, Louis Voye, Monongahela, Jacob Wills, Hugh McBride, W. B. Pickard, Theodore J. Eckbreth, Charles J. Haberman, Stockdale, Cornelius O'Shee, William E. Bruce, Roscoe, Ernest Ruder, Charles Feetter, Samuel Thompson. Union township, Thomas Parry, John Eckert, West Brownsville, David J. Province, Max Klein, Charleroi, William H. Coles, George I. West, George R. Ryland, William H. Schuyler, William H. Zellers, W. S. McFeely, Arthur W. Day. Donora, Nathaniel E. Harris, Cunningham and Ridenour, Frank E. Carwood, Daniel W. Shoemaker, Eneas Coulson.

Distillers—Allen township, John M. Vandergrift. Union township, W. W. Howe, Carroll township, Riverview Distillery Company.

Brewers—Monongahela, Independent Brewing Company, Roscoe, Moose Brewing Company. Union township, Finleyville Brewing Company. Washington, Crescent Brewing Company, Star Brewing Company, Zelt Brothers. Carroll township, Helena Roth. Charleroi, Independent Brewing Company.

Convict Poor Director of Graft.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Two of Greene county's poor directors now stand convicted of embezzling county funds, the jury in the trial of Poor Director John King having returned a verdict of guilty this morning. Poor Director Cowell has already entered a plea of guilty. The officials are charged with receiving graft money on contracts.

Taking Examination for Fire Boss.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Twenty-two men today began taking the examination for fire boss before Mine Inspector T. D. Williams and his assistants, Robert Spence and James D. Stokes. The class this year is little more than one-fourth as large as last May, when 71 persons presented themselves for examination.

S'ES COUNTY AUDITOR.

Prosecutor Upham Alleges M. W. Oberlin Drew $1,000 for Work He Did Not Perform.

CANTON, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Prosecutor C. C. Upham has begun a civil action against County Auditor M. W. Oberlin of Massillon to recover $1,000 which he alleges was drawn under false representations from the treasury of Stark county.

Upham charges in his petition that Oberlin organized boards of review in Canton, Alliance and Massillon, attended the meeting as secretary, for which he should have received $5, and later drew from the county treasury $5 for every meeting held by the boards, although he was not present or represented by a deputy.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 3.9 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—River 13 feet and falling; departures were Courier for Maysville and City of Louisville for Louisville; all navigation for packets above has been suspended on account of the ice.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 5.7 feet; on falls, 3.5 feet; below locks, 11.8 feet.

WHEELING—River 4 feet 7 inches and falling.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 2 inches and stationary.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet and falling.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 7 inches and stationary.

POINT PLEASANT—River 5 feet 7 inches and falling.

MARIETTA—River 5 feet and falling.

PARKERSBURG—River 6.5 feet and falling.

WARREN—River 1 foot and stationary.

GALLIPOLIS—River 7 feet 6 inches and falling.

RECEIVER IS APPOINTED.

George W. Acklin Will Take Charge of a Packet Line.

Attorney George W. Acklin has been appointed receiver of the Pittsburgh and Morgantown packet line, and has been ordered to wind up the affairs of the company. The court directs that all property of the company except that of the United States, which has been taken under process, be delivered to him. An injunction has also been granted restraining the company, its officers and agents, from interfering with the work of the receiver. Mr. Acklin has been placed under a $20,000 bond.

Old Quaker Rye

OLD QUAKER
RYE W

EDWARD TERRILL
RACING EDITOR

THE JUMPERS FURNISHED A FEW MORE SURPRISES

C. A. W. DEVORE
BOWLING EDITOR

DEAD HEAT AT NEW ORLEANS

Stoner Hill and Usury Divide Honors on the Track at the Fair Grounds.

FAVORITES IN A BAD WAY

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—Stoner Hill and Usury ran a dead heat in the fifth race at the fair grounds today. In each race the favorite was beaten decisively. Cousin Kate, a strong favorite in the handicap, stopped to a walk after going half a mile. The weather was clear and the track heavy. Summaries:

Fir race, 6 furlongs—Arsenal, 107, Sewell, 4 to 1, won; Bonehurst, 103, Diggins, 16 to 1, second; Enverite, 110, Radtke, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Go to Win, Moderator, Palmer Y., Ogontz, Estapiatz, Mordella, Sea Voyage, The Fleins, Baywood and Dave Sommers ran.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Saliva, 105, Sewell, 3 to 1, won; Helen Lucas, 111, Radtke, 8 to 1, second; King Leopold, 110, Crimmins, 10 to 1, third. Time, :36 1-5. Jardiniere, Baleshed, Quiet Babe, Buster Jones, Pink Princess, Dorothy M. and Bitter Anne ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Ben Lear, 112, J. Johnson, 10 to 1, won; Fargo, 97, Radtke, 7 to 2, second; Whorler, 114, L. Smith, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:19 1-5. Odd Ella, Painsticker, Fancy Dress, Bishop Weed, Mart Gentry, Safeguard and Trigg Morse ran.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs, handicap—Lady Navarre, 104, Sewell, 5 to 1, won; Deux Temps, 100, Crimmins, 10 to 1, second; James Reddick, 100, Perrine, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:05 2-5. Mary Primm, Fort Worth, Cousin Kate, Pity and Haughty ran.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Stoner Hill, 107, Radtke, 3 to 2, and Usury, 97, L. Smith, 7 to 1, ran a dead heat; Belmore, 102, Diggins, 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:23 4-5. Peter Nathaniel, J. C. Clem and Holloway ran.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Los Angeleno, 112, Dennison, 8 to 5, won; Aurumaster, 107, Radtke, 9 to 10, second; Athena, 110, Crimmins, 8 to 1, third. Time, 2:20. Hickory Corners, Maggie Dorlen, Goo Goo, Cascier and Harry New ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—6 furlongs;

Pretty Nellie	85	Lady Henrietta	105
Walter Schiffer	98	Vanhope	108
Marvel P.	100	Paul Clifford	110
Tenny Burn	101	Dolinda	110
Gay Adelaide	103	Glen Gallant	113

Second race—1 mile:

May Wilmore	100	My Son	105
Black Lock	100	Glad Pirate	105
Our Own	102	Regal Lady	109
Seasick	105	Fast Mail	109
Abrams	105	Retlaw	109

Third race—1 mile and 70 yards;

Sincerity Belle	90	Besterling	106
Shenadoah	101	Bonnie Prince	
Harry Scott	102	Charlie	109
Wedgewood	105	Canyon	111

Fourth race—1 mile, the Audubon selling stakes;

Macy, Jr.	95	Joe Lesser	102
Holloway	95	Col. White	104
King Cole	100	Rainland	110
Lieber	101	Goldsmith	115

Fifth race—2 miles and 70 yards:

Bashier	90	Los Angleno	102
Lepla Kraft	95	Cantain Bob	106
Footlights Favorite	97	Phil Finch	128

Sixth race—1 mile and 70 yards:

O. G. Parks	90	Houvier	105
Chauncey Olcott	92	Tristan Shandy	108
Mint Leaf	103	Firing Line	108
Kenton	103	Will Shelly	108
Safeguard	105	Cottage Maid	105
Benora	105	Saul	110

Seventh race—1 mile and 70 yards:

Brilliant	100	Decoration	105
Bishop Weed	103	Katie Powers	105
Brookston	105	Dapple Gold	106
Colonist	105	Light Note	108
Chub	105	Lemon Girl	108

THREE FAVORITES WIN.

They Land in Front on a Heavy Track at City Park.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—Addesso, Garmish and Double were the winning favorites over the heavy track at City park today. In the steeplechase Blue Grass Girl bolted through the wing of the eighth jump. Double was much the best in his race and won in a gallop. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Wickford, 99, B. Smith, 6 to 1, won; Honeywell, 91, H. Graham, 30 to 1, second; Burnoiette, 96, J. Hennessy, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Lady Mistake, Miss Shoo Loo, Esterpe, Eclipic, Marimbo, Evelyn J., Golden Glow and Oakgrove ran.

Second race, steeplechase, short course—Python 150, Gaddy, 12 to 1, won; Redman, 137, Ellison, 5 to 2, second; Flying Raincloud, 147, Dupee, 4 to 1, third. Time, 3:45 1-5. H. M. P., Wild Range and Conclave ran. Bluegrass Girl fell.

Third race, 6½ furlongs—Adesso, 97, W. McIntyre, 3 to 1, won; Merlingo, 92, F. Perrett, 4 o 1, second; Suzanne Rocamora, 99, Koerner, 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 2-5. Father Tallent, Jack Adams, Mattie H. and Skyward ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Tarp, 89, Koerner, 5 to 1, won; Belden, 91, F. Perrett, 3 to 1, second; Son Nob, 111, O. Mooney, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 4-5. Juba, Foreigner and Little Elkin ran.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Garnish, 109, Nicol, 3 to 1, won; Chief Hayes, 111, Romanelli, 5 to 1, second; Precious Stone, 101, Shoen, 75 to 1, third. Time, 1:04 3-5. Censor, Knickerbocker, Wilky and Woodlawn ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Double, 109, Nicols, 2 to 1, won; Del Carlisle, 109, Flinn, 16 to 1, second; Flying Charcoal, 106, R. Rowe, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:43 2-5. Knowledge, Algonquin, Monochord, Evaskill, Thistle Heather ran.

Seventh race, 6½ furlongs—Little James, 101, Sperrell, 3 to 1, won; Tryon, 99, W. McIntyre, 6 to 1, second; John Garner, 96, R. Lowe, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 3-5. Doeskin, Little Red Planet, Digbe Bell, Brown Vail, Gentian and Red Ruby ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—2¼ miles;

Hymettus	101	Little Wally	97
Rankin	101	Del Carina	94
Mildred L.	100	Harpoon	91
Hardcastle	98	Regale	89
Helgerson	97		

Second race—steeplechase, short course.

New Amsterdam	166	Jim Bozeman	144
Gould	158	Candling	128
Oliver Mc.	158	John E. Owens	137
Evander	150	Pirate	137
Poorlands	149	Trourere	135

Third race—1 mile:

Goldie	110	Little Mike	106
Girard	107	Manoeuver	106
Long Bright	108	Rain Devils	106
Gauze	105	Daught	106
Gray Dal	102	Ezra	98
Gainmeda	103	Balshot	96

Fourth race—2 miles, the Heaslip cup:

Rossmond	115	Drexel	104
Attila	112	Safety Light	100
Harry Stephens	112	Flymettus	95
Coruscate	108	Double	92
Sailor Boy	105	Lou M	90

Fifth race—1 1-16 miles, the City park anniversary handicap:

Bellindian	112	Kargul	97
Coruscate	104	Hadur	95
Louis II	104	Siss Lee	90
Foreigner	97		

Sixth race—1 mile and 70 yards:

Oro Viva	114	Fred Mader	108
Tapioia	109	Tryon	106
The Don	108	Fox Hunting	101
Mary Worth	109	Dansetue	98
Economist	106	Limerick Girl	99
Colin George	106	Esterre	95
Small Talk	106	Liber Core	94

Seventh race—1 mile and 70 yards;

Red Ruler	107	Orient	97
Fonsoluca	104	Conundrum	97
Huzzah	102	Labor	97
Thistle Do	102	Lythia	90

FAVORITE FADES AWAY.

Starts Off Like a Winner, but Finishes in Third Place.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Lillie Golding, backed for thousands of dollars in the fourth race and the hottest favorite of the day at Oakland, opened up a gap of eight lengths, but faded away to almost nothing, and finished third. Jackfull, at 10 to 1, was always well up, and when the others grew weary, won handily from Fastoso. Weather fine; track fast. Summaries:

First, 6 furlongs—Lem Reed, 109, (Treubel), 3 to 5, won; Mimo, 103, (Herbert), 5 to 1, second; Follow Me, 109, (C. Williams), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:14½. Golden Sunrise, Mogregor, Dundreary, Shady Lad, Glen Brier, Bonnie Reg, Estelle J., Dolly Varden and Sir Christopher ran.

Second, one mile—Adirondack, 107, (Minder), 18 to 5, won; Homestead, 115, (Dugan), 11 to 10, second; Vigoroso, 102, (Appleby), 12 to 1, third. Time—1:43¾. Canejo, Lelia Hill, Hogarth, Leonne, Fiat Ball, Tiger, Duke of Richelieu, South Side and Facts ran.

Third, one mile—Dusty Miller, 110, (Dugan), 9 to 2, won; Major Tenny, 107, (W. Smith), 15 to 1, second; El Chihuahua, 107, (Clark), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:41¾. Birdie P., Sterling Towers, Flaunt, Ethel Abbott, Crigil, Glen Rice, Instrument and Lady Kent ran.

Fourth, mile and 50 yards—Jackfull, 104, (T. Sullivan), 10 to 1, won; Fastoso, 104, (J. Kelly), 11 to 2, second; Lillie Golding, 102 (Goodchild), 11 to 5, third. Time—1:43¾. Pronta, Harbor, Esherin and Lone Wolf ran.

Fifth, 6 furlongs—Misty's Pride, 100, (Graham), 4 to 1, won; Sir Brillar, 107, (Clark), 13 to 5, second; Military Man, 110, (Knapp), 8 to 5, third. Time—1:15. Judge, Beau Ormonde, St. George, Jr., Briarthorpe, Ten Oaks and Lydia T. ran.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Martinmas, 105, (Clark), 18 to 5, won; Toupee, 105, (Robinson), 7 to 2, second; Royal Rogue, 105, (J. Kelley), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:28½. Confederate, New Mown Hay ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—½ mile:

Charley Payne	103	Nappa	115
San McGibbon	103	Lassen	107
Pimkin	108	Doric	105

Second race—7 furlongs:

Baker	112	Mountebank	109
Cerro Sauso	109	Miller's Daughter	107
El Chihuahua	109	Cloche d'Or	107
Glenarvon	109	Standard	107
Bountiful	109	Watercure	104

Third rae—1 mile:

Gov. Davis	108	Tavora	105
J. K. F.	106	Avonalis	105
Watchful	106	Arodon	101
Smiler	106	Rumore	101
Legal Form	106		

Fourth race—1½ miles, Palace hotel handicap:

Grazialio	113	Ginnette	104
Proper	123	Rey Del Mundo	98
Deutschland	113	Hammer Away	98
Jake Sanders	105	Bannock Belle	101
Corn Blossom	107		

Fifth race—5 furlongs:

E. M. Brattain	101	Sad Sam	107
Classis	101	Young Pilgrim	110
Pickaway	107	Edinbopough	110
Haven Run	107	Soundly	105
Chieftain	107	Miss Hunter	105
Duelist	107	Zaza	105

Sixth race—1 mile and 20 yards:

Massa	101	Clydeo	103
Lady Goodrich	102	The Mighty	104
Eckersall	102	Christine A.	100
Gateway	110	Wexford	96
R. Brillar	103	The Lady Rohesia	93
Theo. Case	87		

WHOA BILL'S HARD LUCK.

Wins a Race at 20 to 1 and Set Back for Fouling.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—Whoa Bill, at 20 to 1, finished first in the first race at Ascot today, but was disqualified for fouling Line of Life, the heavily played favorite. Line of Life was placed first and Whoa Bill last. The winner was run up $80 above the entered price, but was retained by her owner. Only two favorites won. Weather clear, track fast. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Line of Life, 111, Davis, even, won; Early Hours, 88, Miller, 12 to 1, second; Condo, 105, Harris, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:13⅘. Hussals, Ambitious, My Surprise, Hagerdon, Lady Huron, The Major, Miss Affable, Chief Aloha and Whoa Bill ran. Whoa Bill finished first, but was disqualified for foul.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Red Tape, 110, Regale 89

Abuchon, 8 to 1, won; Water Wagon, 107, McDonald, 5 to 1, second; Fair Atene, 115, Bullman, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:08⅘. Avonellus, Rubinen, Silent Jean, Stenger, Jack Hennessy, Veritas Vich, Pleasant Days, Mohur and Elevation ran.

Third race, 5¼ furlongs—Ninnasquaw, 107, Miller, even, won; Hoodwink, 102, Powell, 9 to 2, second; Chickadee, 110, Aubuchon, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:48¾. Cheripe, Josie Wheeler, Josie's Jewel, Fills d'Or, Courant and Parvo ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Potrero Grande, 104, Aubuchon, 6 to 1, won; Stoessel, 87, Notter, 9 to 2, second; Cabin, 86, Miller, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:45. Sunray, Hippocrates, Marpessa, Sais, Foncaste and Henchman ran.

Fifth race, 4 furlongs—Mabel Hollander, 112, Borel, 5 to 1, won; Tom Gilroy, 102, Moriarity, 3 to 1, second; Alonza, 112, Preston, 5 to 1, third. Time, :49½. Early Flower, Arcadia, Belle, Stella A., Dainty Maudie and Ponemah ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Tavennes, 102, Moriarity, 2 to 1, won; Kumiss, 91, Miller, 8 to 1, second; Seed Cake, 89, Notter, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Charles Greene, Elizabeth F., Creston Boy, Col. P. Palmer and Nettie Rorthi ran.

ASCOT ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—1 mile:

Golden Light	112	Dixelle	105
Prince Ching	112	Retador	102
Sheriff Bell	110	Pyrrho	102
Hockey	107	Cousin Curtis	102
Gondolus	107	Elfin King	101
Stone Arabia	107	Tangible	101
Needful	107	Katie Crews	101

Second race—1¼ miles:

The Huguenot	102	Ikki	102
Blissful	102	Miss Betty	97
Lucian	102	Freesias	83

Third race—1 mile and 70 yards, handicap:

Marshal Ney	105	Embarrassment	98
Chimney Sweep	102	Morita	97
W. J. Carey	99	Voltaire	97
Ramus	99	Rogeroft	90

Fourth race—½ mile the Woodland stakes:

Ray Egan	123	Mary Esher	105
Native Son	115	Hand Maiden	115
Hoot Mon	118	Silver Stocking	115
Blue Bottle	108	Lady Alleece	115
Horace E.	108	Sivan Dixon	115
Count Faust	108	Alleron	117
Kelter	105	Velasquez	118
Ponemah	105	Halton	118
First Pirate	105		

Fifth race—7 furlongs:

Hippocrates	107	Ebony	100
Masedo	105	Hermitage	103
Gilpin	103	Choik Bedrick	95
Good Luck	105	Chartilly	90
Charley	100	J. F. Donohue	96

Sixth race—6½ furlongs:

Confesser	111	Sandstorm	99
Requiter	108	Vahart	97
George P. McNear	104	Quhdaro	95
Ravoit	102	Col. Bronston	92

CHANGES IN RACING DATES.

Belmont and Gravesend Will Dovetail in the Spring Events.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—An important change was announced today in the arrangement of the dates allotted by the jockey club for the spring meetings at the Belmont park and Gravesend race tracks. The two tracks have divided their spring meetings, so that, beginning May 10 at Belmont park, racing will be conducted by the Westchester Racing association until May 19. Then there will be a change to Gravesend May 21, racing to be conducted there until May 26, when the scene changes again to Belmont park May 28 to June 6. Gravesend's spring session will then be concluded with racing from June 7 to 20. The Sheepshead Bay summer meeting will follow on June 21.

In addition to the long summer meeting of 22 days, from July 11 to August 4, the Brighton Beach track has been allowed six days of racing from October 1 to 6.

Mile Track at Wellsville, O.

WELLSVILLE, O., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—It is announced that a mile race track will be built on the Mahan farm in Brooke county, W. Va., and that the large farm has been optioned for this purpose by Chicago and St. Louis capitalists. It is proposed to make the track similar to those in the east and to have races two months or more annually. The sale may be closed within three weeks.

Racing Limit in Kentucky.

FRANKFORT, KY., Feb. 9.—Representative Russell of Todd county offered a bill in the Kentucky house of representatives today proposing that racing upon any course in the state shall be limited to forty days in any calendar year. The bill provides a fine of $500 to $1,000 daily for violations.

Atherton Signs With Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The announcement was made by Secretary A. J. Blough today that Charles Atherton, manager of the Johnstown team of the Tri-State league last year, had signed a contract again for this year. He is one of the heaviest hitters in the league.

Wanderers Lose to Wandas.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The Wandas basketball team of this place defeated the Wanderers of Pittsburgh in a game here last night, 47 to 9.

GAZETTE RACE SELECTIONS.

CITY PARK, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Helgerson, Hymettus, Regole.
Second race—Evander, Gould, Poorlands.
Third race—Goldie, Girard, Gauze.
Fourth race—Sailor Boy, Safety Light, Attila.
Fifth race—Louis H., Bellindian, Coruscate.
Sixth race—Oroviva, The Don, Limerick Girl.
Seventh race—Fonsoluca, Huzzah, Orient.

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Gay Adelaide, Lady Henrietta, Paul Clifford.
Second race—Zick Abrams, Fast Mail, Glad Pirate.
Third race—Besterling, B. P. Charlie, Wedgewood.
Fourth race—Col. White, Lieber, Joe Lesser.
Fifth race—Phil Finch, Capt. Bob, Louis Craft.
Sixth race—Firing Line, Safeguard, Chauncey Dicott.
Seventh race—Chub, Brilliant, Dapple Gold.

FOUR COUNTY LEAGUE MATCHES

Friendship Makes a Clean Sweep Against the Great Eastern in an Interesting Contest.

OTHER BATTLES ON THE ALLEYS

The Friendship team last night on the Friendship alleys made a clean sweep against the Great Easterns. They won with ease in the first game, and in the second barely came out ahead, three pins to the good. It was the fourth time this season that the Friendships won all three games from their opponents, and it was the fifth time that the Great Eastern team was compelled to drop all three. In the third game the Friendships hung up 910, their fourth 900 score of the season. It is their third highest mark, the best being 940. Hergenroeder was the best bowler. He made an average of 194. Egerter had high score of 202. This score and Hergenroeder's 200 were the only 200 marks of the match. For the Great Easterns Capt. Grimm rolled one game and chalked up 183, the highest score for his team. Scores:

Friendship—				Great Eastern—			
Smithman	177	127	190	Manning	114	111	...
Gerieperle	157	...	...	List	166	167	123
Schaefer	189	159	187	White	171	167	169
Egenter	164	202	140	Diebold	172	181	164
Herg	200	186	200	Phelps	187	182	172
Gallisath	...	147	167	Grimm	...	...	184
Totals	838	821	894	Totals	789	818	820

In the Pittsburgh section last night on the Carrick alleys, the Carricks won two out of three games from the Glenwoods. Ordinary scores were made for a county league contest. There were no particular high scores or averages and most all the participants put up an equal average. The highest score of the match was made by McKallop, 190, in the second game. Scores:

Carrick—				Glenwood—			
Fogman	160	154	172	Hopkins	144	181	168
Victorius	157	130	176	Smith	135	189	152
Carbothau	157	168	189	Patkins	163	172	162
Ahlbern	128	171	119	McKallop	171	190	143
P. Pisiorius	167	166	145	Wright	160	166	122
Totals	789	789	801	Totals	762	848	788

In the Allegheny section last night, on the Federal alleys, an interesting contest took place between the Federals and Troy Hills and the Federals won two out of three games, thereby being tied again with the Independents for first position. The Federals started off at a good clip in the first game, by chalking up an even 900 score, but they gradually fell back and lost the last game to the Troy Hill high rollers. Troy Hill made its best score in the last game, 886, and won by a good margin. Hornick and Schad were the star bowlers, each having double century marks and fine averages. Kelm for Troy Hill was the best bowler and Bertram had the only 200 score. Scores:

Federal—				Troy Hill—			
Harris	184	140	157	Schweffel	175	116	162
Saul	166	125	158	Gebhart	141	154	177
Hahn	169	165	156	Marratta	158	...	...
Hornick	192	204	179	Kelm	176	188	179
Schad	189	173	208	Bertram	200	145	176
				Weidner	...	179	192
Totals	900	818	883	Tota's	851	773	886

In the Monongahela section of the county league the Wilmerding team won two games from the Arcades of McKeesport on Pound's alleys last evening. Mertz corralled high score of 201 and high average of 172 flat. Arcades have now lost 14 games out of the last 15 played. Scores:

Wilmerding—				Arcades—			
Smith	146	145	140	Ball	150	125	129
Hawkins	150	140	157	Freeman	177	138	163
Mertz	198	157	201	Doerman	157	158	199
McGowan	147	157	154	Walker	132	123	94
Thompson	128	...	...	Garbett	129	134	174
Martin	...	123	121				
Totals	769	688	729	Totals	725	715	614

Four teams of the Jobbars and Plumbers' league participated in their regular meet on the Club alleys last night. Ordinary scores were made by most of the participants. Duquesne won two from the Imperials, and the Little Five duplicated the feat against the Standard Manufacturing Company. Games and scores:

Imperials—				Duquesne—			
Godfrey	137	90	113	Sheehan	124	126	148
Thoma	135	87	90	White	128	126	125
Bachman	153	126	146	Henesey	112	141	95
Knabb	134	110	145	Lauer	152	150	130
Steepleton	117	112	159	Corns	122	126	92
Totals	636	534	632	Totals	633	659	659
Little Five—				Standard Mfg. Co.—			
Buerkle	167	164	110	Ryan	128	155	97
Gordon	126	126	93	Turner	123	116	129
Rickett	120	108	115	Hughes	111	89	132
Lohr	142	144	153	Bitner	142	93	154
Deely	164	83	121	Krey	104	100	153
Totals	659	625	592	Totals	605	551	665

On the Wylie Avenue alleys last night in a postponed Amateur league game an interesting contest took place between the Boehlers and Cellas. The Boehler high bowlers won all three games. Weber was the best bowler, and there was almost an equal contest between Butts, Lenninger and Cella as to who would come nearest the century mark. Champion Cella hit the high water mark at 113, which he no doubt considered unlucky. Scores:

Boehlers—				Cellas—			
M. Steinel	130	175	149	Naber	177	163	109
Mentel	153	162	141	Butts	126	138	141
Hoopler	146	168	149	Leninger	109	89	125
Hopkins	159	126	164	Cella	99	109	113
McTighe	163	130	138	Doran	114	129	179
Totals	751	772	741	Totals	615	638	709

On the St. Augustine alleys last night the Eagles won two out of three games from the McGees. The first game was very close and was won by the Eagles by one pin. A. Kerner was the boss bowler, with high score of 215 and the fine average of 193 1-3. F. Besselman also put up a very consistent game. Scores:

McGees—				Eagles—			
Schwer	174	190	165	F. Kress	166	178	148
Nieman	168	167	151	L. Besselman	183	160	165
A. Kerner	192	173	215	H. Jacobs	194	148	149
Baur	160	160	149	Fey	129	141	154
Gallisath	137	158	162	F. Besselman	164	183	192
Totals	831	848	782	Totals	832	810	808

In a three-man team contest on the Southern alleys last night the single men won two out of three games from the married men, but as the contest was for total pins the married men were victorious by 14 pins for the series. Scores:

Single Men—				Married Men—			
Dapper	145	157	179	O. Stock	148	147	147
Mary	223	127	168	Williams	200	211	184
Paulos	187	170	150	J. Hirsch	181	181	161
Totals	558	483	599	Totals	529	539	492

In the Wilkinsburg league last night Wilkinsburg took three games from Maplewood. Pech had high score with 202 and high average with 179 1-2. Score:

Wilkinsburg—				Maplewood—			
Herrod	161	137	178	Kinley	129	...	...
Peck	172	184	202	Grob	141	150	...
Cox	165	122	130	Sager	154	180	126
Marcellus	126	157	149	Burns	188	176	164
Brennan	157	183	174	Downing	136	131	152
				Kramer	...	167	183
				White	...	...	144
Totals	781	793	824	Totals	748	784	749

The Sharpsburg Centrals lost two out of three games to the Superiors of Allegheny last night in a match game at duckpins on the Sharpsburg alleys. This makes two out of three games the Sharpsburg team has lost to the Superiors. Servatius of Allegheny had high score of 99 and high average of 85. Scores:

Sharpsburg—				Superiors—			
Servatius	99	85	70	Niehaus	85	77	70
Fersh	86	86	70	Wurcer	96	77	85
Butt	84	74	87	Hutka	67	75	75
Gresh	84	...	83	Grimpke	87	75	71
Mauer	84	82	79	Gable	77	82	91
Fausman	...	66	...				
Totals	417	398	574	Totals	419	586	382

The Knox Colts took three straight from the Sumner Colts on the Brunswick alleys in Sharpsburg last night. Platt had high score of 190 and Schegie high average of 163⅔. Scores:

Knox Colts—				Sumner Colts—			
Schegle	151	188	153	Reddy	139	129	123
Heck	162	142	141	Mack	137	163	124
Casper	153	150	166	Selgt	131	154	182
Conway	134	148	162	Platt	121	190	172
Liebrum	143	182	142	Reddinger	162	132	176
Totals	723	790	769	Totals	690	761	757

In the Amateur league last night on the Wylie avenue alleys, the O. & P.'s won all three games from the Ivorys. McGrath was the high roller with high score and best average. Hewitt, Newcomer and Spang also did creditable work. Scores:

Ivory—				O. & P.—			
Housman	117	161	131	Hewitt	191	162	150
Rau	146	148	135	Newcomer	158	173	177
Brandberger	156	133	124	Spang	158	176	166
Effert	146	157	147	Steinel	159	158	184
McGrath	130	203	158	DeVore	173	176	183
Totals	747	802	725	Totals	840	845	860

In the Drug league last night on the Wylie avenue alleys the Kellys won two out of three games from the Pharmacys. High score was made by the Pharmacys in the first game, 896, but they fell by the wayside in the next two.

Kelly—				Pharmacy—			
Schumucker	138	176	126	Kraig	154	118	144
Brown	156	145	172	Schiller	175	156	144
Todd	144	126	121	Germansheimer	148	113	122
Herron	142	157	185	McFerron	172	145	95
				Holman	164	153	152
Totals	641	743	738	Totals	806	685	663

The Mt. Washington duckpin team of the Allegheny county league would like to have the match with the Casinos of Wilkinsburg, scheduled for next Wednesday, brought forward to Tuesday.

At Chicago on Thursday night in a match of 10 games Gus Steele defeated Dave Woodbury by a total score of 1,745 to 1,733. Steele's highest score was 212, Woodbury's 191.

John W. Williams of the East Liverpool team yesterday posted his money at this office for a match with the Pittsburgh team for $100 a side.

The Eagles would like to arrange a match with the Nationals of the Central league for next Friday night at the Club alleys. Answer through The Gazette.

At the meeting of the Allegheny Duckpin league last night the affairs of the organization were straightened out and the matches will now be more interesting.

Weston Now 107 Balls Ahead.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—Charles Weston of Pittsburgh, challenger, tonight increased his lead in his 600 ball pool match with Thomas Hueston, of Scranton, winning by a score of 200 to 187. The total score is: Weston, 469; Hueston, 362. The final block will be played tomorrow night.

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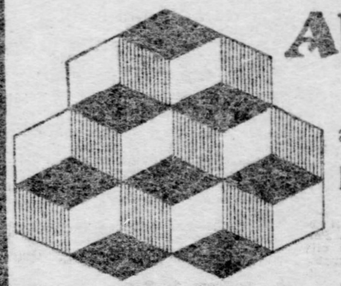
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INVITATIONS will be issued shortly for the marriage of Miss Edith Lang and William A. Seifert, the ceremony to be performed at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. William A. Lang, in Termon avenue, Allegheny, on Tuesday evening, February 27. Six o'clock is the hour set for the ceremony. Miss Marie Wachob, who entertained a short time ago for Miss Lang, will attend her as maid of honor, and the bridesmaid will be Miss Agnes Lyon of Arcola, Ill., who will be her house guest over the wedding. Little Miss Katherine Jane Black, a niece of the bride-elect, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Pollock Black of Penn avenue, East End, will be flower girl. Mr. Seifert has chosen Laird Lang, a brother of his fiancee, to serve as his best man, and William Lang will give the bride away. After their wedding trip Mr. Seifert and his wife will reside in McKeesport, where the bridegroom practices law. Mrs. David Pollock Black will entertain at cards on Wednesday afternoon and evening for her niece.

Gives Delightful Children's Party.

It was a most delightful affair with which Mrs. M. Eggers of Ivy street entertained yesterday afternoon and evening. Little Miss Jean Eggers, the daughter of the hostess, was guest of honor, and those entertained were 19 of her little friends. A 6 o'clock dinner was given with pretty decorations of pink sweet peas and pink carnations and a huge birthday cake as a special feature. The little guests were Miss Katherine Hay, Miss Elizabeth Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Tone, Miss Elizabeth Schoenfeld, Miss Helen Schoenfeld, Miss Dorothy Butler, Miss Jenny Roberts, Miss Lucy Willet, Miss Frances Reed of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Eggers' house guest; Harry Sipe, John Sweeney, John Powell, Russell Cook, Porter Gillespie, George Hays, Phillip Henche, Edgar Colvin, Thomas Price and Frederick Eggers. Each guest received a bonbon box fashioned after the tin woodman in the "Wizard of Oz," and after the dinner a magic lantern exhibition was given. Later in the month Mrs. Eggers will entertain the mothers of several of yesterday's guests who acted as assistants.

Reception in Squirrel Hill.

A dinner for the aids followed Mrs. Isaac W. Frank's reception yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Frank received her friends from 3 until 5 o'clock in honor of her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Sigmund Kles and Mrs. William Klee, the former of whom is a New York bride making her stay in Pittsburgh a part of her honeymoon trip. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. J. Leonard Levy, Mrs. Enoch Rauh, Mrs. Samuel Frank, Mrs. Moses Oppenheimer, Mrs. Leo Kahn, Mrs. Leon Wertheimer, Mrs. Nathinal Speer, Miss Bessie Frank, Mrs. A. Frank and Mrs. Morris Wertheimer. The guests were welcomed in the drawing room of Mrs. Frank's home in Irwin avenue, Squirrel Hill.

Pittsburgh Colony in Lakewood.

Mrs. Alexander Laughlin, Jr., and her daughter, Miss Madelaine Frances Laughlin, expect to spend the month of March in Lakewood, N. J. Mrs. Laughlin's other daughter, Mrs. William G. Robinson, will spend a portion of March with her mother and sister. Other members of the Pittsburgh colony in Lakewood during the coming month will be Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darlington. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Willock are already established in the New Jersey resort for the remainder of the winter and the Thomas W. Bakewells are also wintering in Lakewood.

Mrs. Bakewell to Entertain.

Mrs. Thomas H. Bakewell is making plans for a buffet luncheon which she will give shortly in honor of Mrs. William B. Boggess, a bride of last fall. The luncheon will be given at the home of the hostess in Fifth avenue, but the date has not yet been selected. Mrs. Bakewell will entertain on Thursday of the coming week at the Pittsburgh Golf club. The affair will be a bridge party in honor of Mrs. Joseph Hunter Bakewell, a bride of the fall, and the guests will include Mrs. Bakewell's older friends.

Going to Dungeness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Curtis Perkins of Penn avenue, East End, will leave tomorrow for Dungeness, Cumberland Island, Florida. They will be accompanied by John M. Ferguson and his sister, Miss Martha Ferguson, who, with Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, will be guests of Mrs. Lucy C. Carnegie, Mrs. Perkins' mother. Miss Sallie Hill of this city will be a member of the house party during March. She is now visiting relatives in Bolivar, Tenn., and will go from there to Florida.

Mother and Sister Assist.

Mrs. Anna S. Crouch and Mrs. Charles S. Baker assisted Mr. and Mrs. W. Clifton McCausland at their card party last evening. The affair, which took the form of a six-handed five hundred party, was conducted informally at the home of the host and hostess in Graham street, East End. Mr. and Mrs. McCausland entertained in celebration of the thirteenth anniversary of their marriage, prior to which the bride was Miss Margaret Crouch.

Engagement to Be Announced.

Mrs. W. W. Halton of Bellevue will give a luncheon today to announce the engagement of her cousin, Miss Mary Hamilton of St. Clair terrace, Allegheny, to H. Erwood Kohlmeyer of this city. The luncheon guests will include those who will attend Miss Hamilton at her wedding—Miss Stauffer, Miss Marie Kohlmeyer and Miss Gleghorn, together with several relatives.

In Honor of Reading Visitor.

Mrs. John R. Hendel of Reading was the guest of honor yesterday at the card party given by Mrs. David A. Reed at her home in Hays street. Six-hand euchre was played at seven tables, and the prizes were won by Mrs. George Whitmore, Mrs. Douglas Ayers, Mrs. William R. Williams and Mrs. Samuel Garrison. Mrs. Emil Swensson's card party on Monday afternoon will also be in honor of Mrs. Hendel.

Mrs. Evans is Hostess.

Miss Ella McElveen and Miss Helen Wilson won the prizes yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Howard S. Evans entertained at bridge. Enough guests were present to require the use of seven tables, and the guest of honor was Mrs. Chester G. Fisher, who was Miss Margaret Aiken prior to her marriage in the fall. Mrs. Evans entertained her guests at her home in South Negley avenue.

For Brides and Bride-Elect.

Mrs. George Benton Moore will give an informal little tea next Thursday afternoon to meet two recent brides, Mrs. William Terrill Johnston, nee Miss Mary Worthington, and Mrs. Frederick Newton Crowell, who was Miss Edna Bonebrake, and Miss Mildred Andrews, whose wedding to Arthur Coe Martin will be an event of late April.

Last in a Series.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Noble of Howe street gave the last in a series of entertainments last evening. The series has included three events, two of which were card parties given on Thursday afternoon and evening. Six-hand euchre was the game played last evening and six tables were called into play.

New Scions of Old Families.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moorhead are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little son yesterday morning. The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Laughlin, born last Monday morning, has been named Thomas K. Laughlin, Jr.

Telephone Card Party.

Miss Frances Hamilton of North Highland avenue will give a telephone card party at her home next Monday afternoon. The affair will be informal and bridge will be the game played.

Recipe for Brilliantine.

A formula for making brilliantine is two ounces of melted and strained veal fat, one ounce of spermaceti, one ounce of castor oil, one-quarter of a dram of oil of bitter almonds, one-half dram of oil of cloves, one dram of oil of bergamot. Melt the fats in an earthen dish set in a basin of boiling water. When liquid remove from the heat and beat in the almond oil. Put in perfumed oils last.

Allegheny County Bonds.

N. W. Harris & Co. of New York, who are represented in this city by P. E. Calkins, First National Bank building, are offering to investors the $750,000 Allegheny county 30-year 4 per cent bonds recently purchased by them. As stated in the bankers' advertisement, the total bonded indebtedness of the county is less than 1 per cent of the county's assessed valuation, which is greater than combined assessed valuation of the states of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

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HELEN KELLER BREAKS DOWN

Celebrated Deaf, Dumb and Blind Woman Succumbs to Overwork at Radcliffe College.

WRENTHAM, MASS., Feb. 9.—The physical and mental strain of her course at Radcliffe college and the subsequent work which Helen Keller, the deaf, dumb and blind woman, has been doing to aid the similarly afflicted, has caused illness of such seriousness that her physician has ordered her to take a long period of rest.

Helen Keller.

All work which Miss Keller has had in hand and engagements to appear at meetings in the aid of the blind have, accordingly, been given up. She will appear at no public meetings for some time to come.

Miss Keller's condition was reported as slightly improved this afternoon. Mr. Macy explained that the young woman had no disease, but was suffering from exhaustion. He did not consider Miss Keller's condition dangerous, or so serious as to occasion any alarm among her friends.

Effect of Worry on the Brain.

Continued worry upon one particular topic will result in absolute injury to the brain. The chief cells that are injured or destroyed by worry are those in the frontal lobes, beneath the upper part of the forehead. There are various sets of cells, thus one man may have one set injured or destroyed, and another man another set, depending, of course, upon his worriment. These cells are all connected by minute fibers, so that when one class is injured the whole brain will be more or less affected. In working, the brain cells throw off a poisonous product, and when this product is not rapidly thrown off, the poison remains and the cells, unable to perform their duties, commence to break down.

Apple Plum Pudding.

Arrange in a deep earthen baking dish, suitable for serving, as many apples, cored and pared, as it will hold. Fill the core cavities with a mixture of equal parts of boiled chestnuts, stoned dates, seeded raisins and English walnuts, all chopped fine and moistened with lemon juice sweetened to taste. Melt sugar and butter in hot water in the proportion of one tablespoonful of sugar and one-half teaspoonful of butter for each apple, and one cup of hot water for five apples. Pour this over the apples and baste frequently, adding more water if needed. There should be just a little rich, thick syrup at the last. Serve hot with thin cream or cold with whipped cream.

THE CLUBS

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Collegiate Alumnae Reception.

The Pittsburgh branch of the Collegiate Alumnae association will give a reception on Friday afternoon, February 17, in the Allinda school, Fifth avenue, near Clyde street, when eight colleges and universities will be represented by alumnae, the corners of the reception room also being decorated to represent certain of the colleges. The reception is under the care of the Wellesley girls, and the guests will be received by the president of the Pittsburgh branch, Mrs. James Geegan; Miss Ella Gordon Stuart, principal of the school, and Miss Eleanor Laird, chairman of the reception committee, assisted by the members of the senior class of Miss Stuart's school. A fine musical program has been arranged, consisting of piano solos by Harry Stratton, organist of the East Liberty Presbyterian church, songs by Miss Margaret Martin and readings from James Whitcomb Riley's poems by Mrs. Alvin Sherrill. Two addresses will be given, one by Dr. Martin, president of the Pennsylvania College for Women, on "The College in Its Relation to the Intellectual Life," and the other by Miss Bradbury of the Allegheny Preparatory school, on "The Social and Recreative Side of College." The special guests of the association will be the members of the senior class of Miss Stuart's school, and many of the principals and teachers of the preparatory and high schools.

Children's Gift to Memorial Hall.

The John Hart chapter, Children of the American Revolution, yesterday decided to give a desk and chair to the furnishment of the children's room in the Memorial Continental hall, Washington, D. C. It will also make a donation to the scholarship fund which the Civic club of Allegheny county is establishing for the purpose of putting children in the public schools who otherwise would be forced to work in violation of the child labor laws in this state. One hundred dollars constitutes a scholarship, but the John Hart chapter will make a donation of only a part of that amount. The chapter yesterday arranged for a colonial tea and dance to be given some afternoon near Washington's birthday, the date and place to be decided in a few days. Invitations will be issued to the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Colonial Dames, the United States Daughters of 1812 and other friends of the children. Sixteen of the older members of the chapter will dance the minuet. All, both girls and boys, will be in colonial costume. There will be Martha and George Washington, a minute man, Uncle Sam and other famous characters of colonial and revolutionary history. On this occasion will be displayed for the first time the new banner of the chapter, which is a large and beautiful silk American flag, with a pennant bearing the legend John Hart chapter, Children of the American Revolution. The meeting of the chapter yesterday was held in the home of the regent, Mrs. W. W. Wishart, whose guests included the children and the associate members of the chapter. After the business meeting tea was poured by Mrs. Joseph W. Marsh.

May Give Toy Dog Show.

The Farmington Aid society is considering the holding of a toy dog show in the spring for the benefit of the society. Miss Willa Forsyth brought the matter up yesterday at the regular meeting of the society, but because of the small attendance it was not definitely decided. Those present were in favor of holding the dog show in April, the week after Easter, when all the society people will be home from Palm Beach and Lakewood. It was also thought that a postponement of the show until after the annual exhibition of the Kennel club in Duquesne garden, April 4, 5, 6 and 7, would be advisable. Miss Isabel Chalfant, president of the Farmington Aid society, will take the matter up and appoint a committee to make such arrangements as may be necessary.

The success which attended the dog show, which was an important feature of the country fair held two years ago on the James Rees place in Fifth avenue, Shadyside, makes the members of the society confident that such a benefit entertainment would again be successful. Among the exhibitors would be a large number of the young women of the society, together with other owners of expensive toy dogs, such as the Pomeranians, Japanese poodles, dachunds, pugs, collies, toy spaniels and terriers, except fox terriers. The class will include only such as are regarded as toy dogs, and must be of pure breed and exhibited by their owners.

The Farmington Aid society had contemplated a benefit entertainment some time during the summer or early fall, for the demands upon it this winter were heavy. There is so much sickness in Allegheny, particularly typhoid fever, while there are many cases of tuberculosis always under its care, that the society's visiting nurse, Miss Cooper, is very busy. The demands upon the society include the nurses' attendance, delicacies for the sick, often removal to the hospitals, clothing, coal, provisions and money. The work which the society carries on is purely philanthropic. The care of the sick and poor on the North Side being its special province, together with provision for a summer outing for sick mothers and their children and the regular Christmas treat.

Valentines in Soho Settlement House.

A valentine party was given yesterday afternoon in the Soho Baths Settlement house, Fifth avenue, which was attended by 50 women from the Soho district. The rooms were decorated in red. Small red paper hearts containing quotations, painted in gold by Mrs. Vitellius Matthews, were carried away as souvenirs of the afternoon. Miss Kate C. MacKnight gave an informal talk on the influence of the home on good government, laying special stress on the training of children to become good citizens. Mrs. Jane A. Hall, the chairman of the mothers' department of the Settlement house committee, spoke, and Miss Bartha Smith-Swindell sang. The refreshments consisted of coffee and doughnuts. At the next meeting, Friday afternoon, February 23, the subject will be George Washington. Mrs. Hall was assisted by Mrs. L. O. Livingston, Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Samuel Seymour.

Entertainment Is Postponed.

The Woman's Southern society has given up all thought of the proposed large entertainment, because of the serious illness of the president, Mrs. Hugh Pendleton Aliene. The meeting of the society yesterday afternoon with the vice president, Mrs. Ellison Costin, presiding. "Southern Housewives" was the subject for the afternoon, which was directed by Mrs. John DeLoss Underwood. "Old Time Southern Dishes" was read by Mrs. C. M. Wolfe. "The Resources of the South" were enumerated under the caption, "What the South Puts in the World's Market Basket," by Mrs. Charles G. Lender. Mrs. Clarence Renshaw gave several readings from the southern poets, and the music consisted of Weber's "Invitation to the Dance," played by Mrs. Anton Burchard, and songs by Miss Faith McKinley, who sang an aria from Le Cid and a Slumber song. Mrs. William L. Kester and Mrs. G. T. Ward poured tea.

Reception to Miss Cather.

Mrs. David Kirk has issued invitations to the members of the Pittsburgh colony of the New England society to a reception in honor of Miss Willa Cather, on Tuesday afternoon, February 20. Miss Cather will at that time read before the colony one of her unpublished stories. The day is the regular meeting day of the Pittsburgh colony, but because Miss Cather will be the honor guest special arrangements will be made for the entertainment of the New England woman. Mrs. David Kirk is the president of the colony.

Social Meeting of Club.

The Woman's club of Ben Avon was entertained last evening by Mrs. A. W. Renwick. The meeting was a social one, taking the place of the regular afternoon literary meeting.

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"Several years ago I was all broken down. I was nervous, worn-out, could not sleep, and was in constant pain. I doctored for months, and finally the doctor said he could do nothing for me. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine, and used altogether eight bottles, and I became strong and healthy, and now weigh 170 pounds."
H. C. CUNNINGHAM,
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Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

TONSILINE CURES SORE THROAT.

Have You a Policy? Is it Big Enough?
National Union Fire Ins. Co.,
Arrott Building, Pittsburgh.

THE REAL ESTATE OWNERS AND RENTERS

ARE VOTING LIVELY FOR THEIR FAVORITE MAN.

Many New Names Added to the List Yesterday for the Most Popular Real Estate Man Voting Contest in The Gazette.

A List of Names Balloted for Up to 6 P. M. Friday.

ALEXANDER, W. L., of Wm. Jenkinsin Realty Co., Bellevue.
ALLISON, C. W., Homewood.
ARMSTRONG, WM. B., Hazelwood.
ARONSON, I. A., Aronson-Friedman Co., Pittsburgh.
BECKFIELD, JOHN H., Allegheny.
BECKWITH, GEO. N., East End.
BERMAN, HARRY M., Merchants Savings and Trust Co. (Realty Depart.).
BLACK, SAMUEL W., of S. W. Black Co., Pittsburgh.
BINGLER, W. F., with Commonwealth Real Estate Co.
BISSET, DAVID, Mt. Washington.
BOYLES, W. G., with E. A. Hess & Co., Allegheny.
BROWN, HOWARD, of Howard Brown & Bro., Pittsburgh.
BROWN, VET L., of Vet L. Brown & Starrett Co., Pittsburgh.
BRYCE, J. H., with F. O. Van Gorder, East End.
CAVANAGH, JAMES, of Cavanagh & Co., Pittsburgh.
CELLA, LOUIS, JR., Homewood.
CLARK, A. H., Pittsburgh.
COUCH, GEORGE B., Colfax Imp. Co., Springdale, Pa.
COX, J. W., Homestead, Pa.
CRAIGHEAD, F. G., Swissvale.
CROOKSTON, A. V., of Crookston Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
DASCHBACH, ALBERT, of Keck-Heile & Daschbach, Pittsburgh.
DAVIS, W. L., with George Brothers, Pittsburgh.
DENNISTON, R. W., with Samuel W. Black & Co., Pittsburgh.
DENNY, A. A., East End Realty Co.
DeROY, HARRY, with Chas. H. Chance, Pittsburgh.
DICKSON, ALFRED, Pittsburgh.
DIXON, CHARLES H., Real Estate Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
DONALD, W. V., Wilkinsburg.
DOWLING, J. J., J. M. Loose Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
EDMUNDSON, IRA, Hazelwood Savings & Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
ELDERKIN, W. W., of Elderkin-Stanton Co., Pittsburgh.
EHRENFELD, M. J., Pittsburgh.
EVANS, DAVID, of David Evans & Co., Pittsburgh.
FAULKNER, B. R., of B. R. Faulkner Co., Pittsburgh.
FESTER, J. H., Allegheny.
FOX, WALTER G., of Hood Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
FRIES O., of Pearson & Fries, Allegheny.
GAULT, S. W., Land Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
GILLELAND, W. J., of Home Real Estate Co., Pittsburgh.
GRIFFITH, JAS. A., Washington avenue, Hilltop.
GUTHRIE, FRANCIS S., with George Bros., Pittsburgh.
HAINES, W. S., Diamond Real Estate Co., Pittsburgh.
HAMNETT, W. E., Wilkinsburg.
HARRISON, A. D., Wilkinsburg R. E. & Trust Co.
HODGE, E. G., Swissvale.
HORNER, ALBERT, with T. C. Allison, Allegheny.
HORNBERGER, H. O., Hazelwood, Pittsburgh.
JONES, A. W., with J. A. Young & Co., East End.
JUSTICE, WM., with C. G. Mitchell.
KELLY, SAMUEL, of Kelly-Wood Co., East End.
KIDNEY, J. N., of J. N. Kidney Co., Pittsburgh.
KLEIN, H. W., of H. W. Klein Realty Co., Allegheny.
LARIMER, W. A., South Side.
LASH, J. B., Mt. Washington, City.
LAWTON, W. B., Mortgage Banking Co., Pittsburgh.
LOWE, A. M., Ford Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
MANNING, S. B., with the Courier Co., Pittsburgh.
MARSHALL, A. B., Wilkinsburg.
M'CRORY, R. J., Mt. Washington.
McCLELLAND, J. H., with Liggett, Lennox & Watkins, Pittsburgh.
McGEARY, M. JESSE, of H. M. Blackley Co., Pittsburgh.
McMILLEN, GILBERT, Homewood Real Estate Co.
MINNEMYER, O. R., with A. Z. Byers & Co., Pittsburgh.
MOORE, JOHN P., Knoxville Land Improvement Co., Knoxville, Pa.
MYERS, GEORGE, with James H. Thompson, Pittsburgh.
NICKEL, HENRY W., with Land Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
NORRIS, GEORGE C., of George C. Norris & Co., Pittsburgh.
O'DONNELL, J. H., Pittsburgh.
OTT, A. W., Hilltop, Pittsburgh.
OYER, A. H., Paul Land Co., Pittsburgh.
PATTON, JOHN, Hilltop, Pittsburgh.
PAUL, C. G., of Paul & Kingsley, Pittsburgh.
PRUGH, H. M., South Side.
ROSENTHAL, LOUIS, of Columbia Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
ROSS, A. A., with International Savings and Trust Co. (Realty Department), Pittsburgh.
SAINT, JOS. A., Liberty Real Estate Trust Co.
SWARTZ, CARL, with Woodlawn Land Co., Pittsburgh.
SHAFFER, H. A., of H. A. Shaffer & Co., Pittsburgh.
SIMMONS, C., Hilltop, Pittsburgh.
SNAMAN, ELMER, with Aronson Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
STEINMYER, H. H., Beckfield Real Estate Co., Allegheny.
STEVENSON, H. W., Pittsburgh.
STEWART, CHAS., Pittsburgh.
SUCCOP, C. E., of C. E. Succop & Co., South Side.
THOMPSON, A. H., Pittsburgh.
THOMPSON, W. A., Pittsburgh.
TURNER, CHAS. W., Pittsburgh.
TURNER, JAS. W., Pittsburgh.
WARD, C. F., Pittsburgh.
WENDT, JOHN M., Pittsburgh.
WESLEY, JOHN, JR., East End.
WESSEL, ARTHUR, Pittsburgh.
WHITE, W. J., Pittsburgh.
YOUNG, GEO. A., Allegheny.

WANTED.

Male Help.

ANY intelligent person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

ARCHITECT AND ENGINEER.
Bookkeeper for contractor.
Bookkeeper for brewery.
Office clerk.
Bookkeeper and stenographer, $75.
Stenographers (4) at once.
Patternmakers.
Machinist.
Molders.
Blacksmiths, machine shop (3).
Blacksmith, also helper, wagon work.
Rough carpenters.
Planer, lathe milling, also boring mill hands.
All kinds of clerical, also mechanical positions. The above are all new orders, ready for men. Information free. Established 1899.
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ASSISTANT bookkeeper; must be bright and energetic and ambitious enough to look to your employers' interest with more zeal than you would at your own; to such a man we can offer an inviting position. Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

AT ONCE—Steady young men to travel or city salesmen, grocery, hardware, tobacco, candy; $60 month up; beginners preferred. NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 205 Federal st., second floor, Allegheny.

BILL clerk; young man, neat and accurate at figures, can secure an enviable position with liberal company by calling at Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

BOY wanted immediately, errand boy for our stationery department; must be 14 years old. Apply to Mr. Ostrander, Baker Office Furniture Co., 315-317 Liberty ave.

BOYS—For general factory work. Apply Pittsburgh Lamp, Brass & Glass Co., Locust st., Allegheny.

BOOKKEEPER for out-of-town manufacturing company; $900 to start; $1,000 to $1,200 in short while if satisfaction is given; call, write, HAPGOODS, 706 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BOOKKEEPER, single entry; need not be expert if anxious and willing to learn office end of contractor's business. Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

BOOKKEEPER; young man just out of school, who is a good penman, quick and accurate at figures, could handle this position; salary $600; call, write, HAPGOODS, 706 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BRAKEMAN — Railroad brakeman. Apply yardmaster's office, Pressed Steel Car Co., Allegheny.

COMPOSITOR—Good all-round job man. Apply W. H. Wright, 222 Farmers Bank bldg.

WANTED.

Male Help.

CARPENTER, foreman—Practical and experienced foreman. Non-union. Steady work and good wages to right man. Address Z 88, The Gazette.

CUSTOM HOUSE CLERKS and inspectors; high salaries. Particulars Supt. Derr, 802 Empire bldg.

DENTIST for advertising dental office; must be good operator and sober; high salary to a good man. Address Dr. Sheffield, 715 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.

DRAFTSMEN—STRUCTURAL. Immediately; for Ohio company; four experienced detailers on bridge work; $100, $120; also an A1 draw and lift bridge engineer for large eastern company, $130. We have absolute authority to engage these men on the spot. Engineering Agency, Diamond Bank Bldg.

DRAFTSMEN—Mechanical and Electrical—for all classes of engineering work; salaries $75, $175. Engineering Agency, Diamond Bank Bldg.

DRUG CLERK wanted, with 2 or 3 years' experience. E. End. Address A 86, The Gazette.

ENGINEER—Wanted, a good, steady engineer to run and keep up two Warren gas engines; a good, steady job for the right man. Call at the United States Macaroni Factory, Carnegie, Pa.

ENGINEER for Keystone well drill. Apply E. Robinson, 417 Fourth ave.

EVERY AMBITIOUS PERSON TO MEET SUCCESS HALF WAY. BE YOUR OWN EMPLOYER AND BECOME INDEPENDENT. SEND FOR FREE CIRCULAR "BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY." JONES SUPPLY COMPANY, ETNA, PA.

FOUNDRY chippers and two or three laborers wanted. 903 Lewis block.

FOUR more wheel rollers, $2.50 daily; steady work; call today. 118 Ninth st.

HANDY man around store. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

IRON molders. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

LABOR foreman wanted with large experience and good reference; German preferred. Call on Joe Hite, 1062 Main st., Allegheny, Pa.

MACHINE blacksmiths, $3.60; 2 first-class machinists, 35c hour; 3 drill press men, planer hand. 118 Ninth st.

MACHINISTS—Six. Apply Pennsylvania Car Wheel Co., 489 Preble ave., Allegheny.

MAN with some experience as manager for girls' department in novelty works. 118 Ninth street.

MAN to work in factory, $14.60 weekly; steady work. 118 Ninth st.

MEAT cutter, also butcher, M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

MEN AND BOYS wanted to earn $5 to $8 a day after completing course of practical instruction at home or in our schools; graduates admitted to union; positions secured. Coyne Bros. Co., Practical Schools Plumbing and Bricklaying, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis. Free catalogue.

MINERS—25 married and single coal miners for Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Steady work; no trouble. We move families and pay railroad fares. Keystone Bureau, 1124 and 1126 Penn ave.

MOLDERS—On dry and green sand work; good wages and steady employment; shop facilities first class and no trouble. Apply at once, STANDARD ENGINEERING CO., Ellwood City, Pa.

MOLDERS, machinery molders, at once. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

NUT SEEDERS and tappers; only sober and steady workers need apply. Call at 62nd st. and A. V. R. R.

OFFICE clerk for steel mill. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

PLANER and boring mill hands wanted. 903 Lewis block.

PRINTERS—Wanted, 2 first-class job printers; highest wages. Kerr & Ridge, 2613 Butler st.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, $900 annually. Particulars Supt. Derr, 802 Empire bldg.

ROUGH CARPENTERS, with saw and hatchet, $2.25 to $3 daily; 10 cabinetmakers, $3. 118 Ninth st.

SALESMEN; harness; must have experience in this line of work and capable of commanding a salary of $1,200-$1,500; call, write, HAPGOODS, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SALESMAN—Experienced salesman. Diamond Mirror Co., 2916 Penn ave.

SHIPPING clerk; prefer one with experience in harness business; $600 to start; call, write, HAPGOODS, 706 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SIX first-class industrial insurance solicitors. Apply 412 Columbia Bank bldg.

STENOGRAPHER for out-of-town coal company; salary $700-$900; call, write, HAPGOODS, 706 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

STENOGRAPHER, one willing to leave the city, to accept position in steel company's office; promotion guaranteed to industrious young man. Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper for out-of-town contracting company; salary $900 to start; splendid opportunity for advancement; call, write, HAPGOODS, 706 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

STENOGRAPHER, government service; $900 to $1,600 annually; supply unequal to demand. Particulars Supt. Derr, 802 Empire bldg.

TOBACCO superintendent. Apply American Stogie Co., Townsend and Wilson sts., Pittsburgh.

WANTED, SUBSCRIPTION MEN. GREATEST GIFT SCHEME EVER OFFERED.
P. H. ENSIGN MADE $48 YESTERDAY; ANOTHER SOLICITOR TOOK 14 ORDERS; COMMISSION, $2 PER ORDER, WITH BONUS, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY; NEW TERRITORY; RECORDS OPEN FOR INSPECTION.
APPLY 310 WASHINGTON BK. BLDG.

WANTED—Cash boys; they must be 14 years old or over. Apply at Transfer Desk, main floor, west side. JOSEPH HORNE CO.

WANTED—Recruits for the U. S. marine corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; citizens of the United States or those who have legally declared their intention to become such; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply at Postoffice Building, fourth floor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—A number of inside and outside wiremen; must furnish own tools. Apply Employment Department, Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED EVERYWHERE—HUSTLERS to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

YOUNG man wanted immediately; bright, energetic young man to sell the Neostyle; permanent position at a good salary for a young man that can make good; only those that are willing to work hard need apply. Baker Office Furniture Co., 315-317 Liberty ave.

YOUNG man 18 years of age of good habits can secure a position in manufacturing company's office, where advancement will depend upon your personal merits. Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

YOUNG man to travel and advertise; salary and expenses. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

WONDERFUL RESULTS

Considering the time of the year and the short notice given, the crowds attending our great sale of Furs, Suits, Coats, Waists and Skirts is really wonderful. The entire stock of these Ladies' Fine Furs and Garments of Farrell & Co., or Cleveland, are on sale at prices meant to clean up the entire lot in a short space of time. That is what makes eager buyers.

Fine Garments at About One-Third of Actual Value

is a magnet to quick purchasers. Don't overlook your share for this Saturday. Lots just placed on the sale counters are choice. Don't wait longer and take what's left. Come Saturday and get a rare bargain. Look at what these prices mean to you:

Ladies' $5.50 and $6.00 Tailored All-Wool Skirts, selling out price..... $2.45

Ladies' Voile Skirts, extra well made and make handsome evening skirts; worth $18.00, selling out price..... $8.45

Ladies' Spring-weight Skirts, mixture materials; elegant values at $6.50, selling out price..... $2.95

Ladies' High-Grade Taffeta Silk Skirts; regular $12.00 quality, closing out price..... $6.85

Ladies' Elegant Fur Coats, pearseal; worth $40.00, selling out price..... $15.00

Ladies' Mink-Trimmed Coats; worth $125.00, selling out price..... $45.00

Ladies' Beaver and Otter-Trimmed Fur Coats; worth $100.00, selling out price..... $39.95

Ladies' Fine Fox Boas, with natural brush; sell at $10.00, selling out price..... $3.95

Ladies' Australian Opossum Cluster Scarfs; worth $5.00, this lot only..... 95c

Ladies' Brown Marten Cluster Scarfs; worth $7.95, selling out price..... $2.95

Ladies' Mink Throws; worth $12.00, selling out price..... $4.95

Ladies' 78-inch Squirrel Throws; sold for $15.00, selling out price..... $6.95

Ladies' Extra Long Fox Boas, beautiful and with large beautiful natural brush; worth $30.00, selling out price..... $12.45

Ladies' $25.00 Fur-Lined Coats, with fur collars; worth $25.00, selling out price..... $9.95

Ladies' Short Coats; regular values to $12.00, slightly soiled, selling out price..... $2.95

Ladies' Long Broadcloth Coats, fur collars and quilted lining; worth $18.00, selling out price..... $7.95

Ladies' Fine Satin-lined Covert Spring Jackets, just new style; worth $18.00, selling out price..... $4.85

Ladies' Short Silk Coats; sell for $8.00, selling out price..... $2.95

Ladies' Fine Silk Petticoats; worth $6.95, selling out price..... $3.95

Ladies' Suits, in a mixed lot; worth to $15.00, closing out price..... $4.95

Ladies' Long Coat Suits; worth $25.00, selling out price..... $10.95

Ladies' Lawn and Mohair Waists, only a

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Aiken Ave. and Walnut st., F. X. Cook.
Atwood and Forbes sts., Atwood Pharmacy.
Bates St., 20, J. L. Patterson.
Brushton and Tioga Sts., Brushton Pharmacy.
Butler St., 3413, C. T. Bundy.
Beltzhoover Ave., 117, Adolph Beck.
Butler St., 4401, A. W. Covert.
Baum and Euclid Ave., The Euclid Pharmacy.
Boggs Ave., 11, The Bell Pharmacy.
Boulevard and 23d, J. B. Hohensack.
Butler St., 5401, C. W. Coyan.
Butler St., 3705, K. F. Lange.
Butler St., 5201, M. C. Linn.
Butler St., 3508, Thos. McCaffrey.
Brereton Ave., 2053, A. Karabasz.
Brereton Ave., 2102, Kaminski Bros.
Brushton and Mulford, J. S. McGrath.
Brushton Ave., Brushton News Depot.
Brushton and Kelly, J. S. McGrath.
Butler St., 5202, H. A. Spliker.
Butler St., 4307, R. M. Totten.
Butler St., 5208, W. C. Tomlinson.
Center and Graham St., Alma Pharmacy.
Collins Ave., 220, J. Breitweiser.
Craig and Forbes Sts., Charles Bellefield Pharmacy.
Carson St., 1001, The Stenger Drug Store.
Carson St., 2, Panhandle Pharmacy.
Carson St., 2628, Charles A. Schafer.
Carson St., 2429, P. A. Heilerbach.
Cargon St., 809, Eighth St. Pharmacy.
Carson St., 3026, W. P. Herman.
Carson St., 1856, Chas. Wiegel.
Carson St., 1734, Carl P. Lorch.
Carson St., 1414, Low's Drug Store.
Carson St., 2131, Erizman Drug Co.
Climax St., 51, W. Altenburger.
Climax St., 105, Jos. D. Mercer.
Cor. 19th and Carson Sts., H. L. Lohmeyer.
Corner 30th and Carson Sts., Chambers' Pharmacy.
Cor. 12th and Diamond Sts., Beck's Pharmacy.
Cor. 19th and Sarah Sts., Rieng's Pharmacy.
Cor. Greenfield and Lydia Sts., Fred W. Ertzman.
Cor. Park and Shetland Ave., Shetland Pharmacy.
Cor. Wylie and Fulton St., Wm. Schuchman.
Cor. Wylie and Fulton St., Hewitt & Jamison.
Cor. Center and Crawford St., The Seegman Drug Co.
Cor. Center Ave. and Erin St., Chas. F. Nourse.
Cor. Center and Kirkpatrick, W. M. Cooke.
Cor. Center Ave. and Soho St., White's Drug Store.
Ellsworth and College Aves., J. S. Doudna.
Fifth Ave., 4701, P. Anthes.
Frankstown and Oakwood Ave., Berlin & Co.
Forbes St., 2600, The Anderson Drug Co.
Fifth Ave., 537-539, The Court Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 801, Finkelpearl Pharmacy.
Frankstown Ave., 260, T. J. Hermann.
Frankstown Ave., 2055, P. L. Jones.
Forbes St., 2307, The Lincoln Pharmacy.
Forbes and Ophelia St., Morgan's Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 1221, Robin Drug Co.
Fifth Ave., 2220, T. T. Spence.
Fifth Ave., 643, W. Sawhill & Son.
Fifth Ave., 1436, Smallback Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1712, Thumm Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1430, Thumm Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1715, G. A. Voekrodt.
Fifth Ave., 2130, C. J. Weiss.
Fifth Ave., 1401, C. L. Young.
Forbes St., 1800, A. M. Muchnic.
Forbes St., 2625, J. K. Hohman.
Frankstown and Brushton Ave., J. L. Loughridge.
Frankstown Ave., 31, L. W. Seaton.
Frankstown Ave. and Homewood Ave., Winfield S. Smith.
Frankstown Ave., 205, H. O. Danner.
Frankstown, Cor. Homewood Ave., Edwin T. Schilling.
Fulton St., 168, Wm. Schuchman.
Grandview Ave., 1235, Grandview Ave. Pharmacy.
Grandview Ave., 1215, Frank D. Hodil.
Greenfield Ave., 119, Fred W. Ertzman.
Hamilton and Dallas Ave., Dallas Pharmacy.
Herron and Madison Ave., Richard McNally.
Herron and Wylie Ave., Vogel's Drug Store.
Highland and Center Ave., Highland Pharmacy.
Homewood and Bennett St., J. R. Gasaway.
Homewood and Hamilton Ave., J. R. McCreary.
Hamilton and Collier St., H. Smith.
Hastings and Reynolds, J. H. Steffler.
Kelley and Dallas Ave., J. F. McCabe.
Lilac st., 3734, E. J. Aul.
Lincoln Ave., 1005, Brilliant Pharmacy.
Lincoln Ave., 1650, Otto F. Freebing.
Lincoln Ave. and Lake St., T. J. Hermann.
Liberty Ave., 4777, C. A. Schilling.
Larimer Ave., 321, Larimer Pharmacy.
Lang and Frankstown Ave., H. C. Murto.
Liberty Ave., 5000-5002.
Liberty Ave., 5100, C. E. Ringer.
Liberty St., 4720, Schilling & Thompson.
Lincoln Ave., 1424, Weaver's Pharmacy.
Meadow and Larimer, F. J. Brehm.
Main and Wabash, W. E. Montgomery's Pharmacy.
Main St., 192, Greinelsen's Pharmacy.
North Highland Ave., 500, Hoge's Pharmacy.
Neville St. and Center Ave., Porter & Porter.
Ophelia and Kennett, Schilling & Thompson.
Penn Ave., 7102, J. R. L. Brown.
Penn and Main, Erskine's Drug Store.
Penn Ave., 4823, Garfield Pharmacy.
Penn Ave., 4202, T. J. Guyton.
Penn Ave., 3856, P. H. B. Hess.
Penn Ave., 6122, J. Henrici.
Penn Ave., 5160, L. B. Hughes.
Park Ave., 401, R. B. McKelvey.
Penn Ave., 1261, H. W. Huber.
Penn Ave., 1701, Erskine & Wicks.
Penn Ave., 2552, Ed. J. Johnston.
Penn Ave., 2221, L. E. Gutellius.
Penn Ave., 7502, L. M. Patterson.
Penn Ave., 5400, Cor. Rebecca St., Hughes Pharmacy.
Penn Ave., 6358, S. N. Wickersham.
Penn Ave. and Evaline, 5147, J. C. Smith.
Penn ave., 2600, Corner Drug Store.
Pius St., No. 4, Pius St. Pharmacy.
Sallsbury St., 2202, Edward J. Bautz.
Sarah St., 2125, South Side Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 4753, Decrone Bros. & Clark.
Second Ave., 4900, Lutz & Rodemoyer.
Second Ave., 5107, Elizabeth Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 5424, James & Stiefel.
Second Ave., 5230, C. W. O'Sullivan.
Second, Cor. Grant, Louis Emanuel.
Sheridan Ave. and Station St., G. H. Glass.
Shiloh St., 42, J. Spohn.
Shiloh St., 54, J. F. Murphy.
Southern Ave., 1923, Birmingham Pharmacy.
Station St. and Larimer Ave., Station Pharmacy.
St. Clair and Broad St., St. Clair Pharmacy.
St. Clair and Jackson St., Porter's Pharmacy.
Tioga and Rosedale St., Rosedale Pharmacy.
Walnut and Bellefonte St., 5501, L. M. Hamilton.
Ward and Semple Sts., H. P. Reiser.
Washington St., 68, Calabrese Pharmacy.
Washington Ave., 102, Washington Avenue Pharmacy.
Washington Ave., S. S., 80, W. J. Forrest.
Washington Ave., S. S., 67, Lorenz S. Riott.
Washington and Allen Ave., W. L. Sutter.
Webster Ave.F, 610, Calabrese Pharmacy.
Webster Ave., 1801, Edward J. Kretz.
Wylie Ave., 2115, Taylor's Pharmacy.
Wylie Ave., 1400, E. W. Thumm.
Wylie Ave., 1860, Library Pharmacy.
Wylie Ave., 4101, McMurray & Reich.
Wylie Ave., 2450, Ernest H. Melvin.
Wylie Ave., 2176, James Sieling.
Wylie Ave., 1001, John Bock.
Butler and 44th St., S. L. Beliman.
Liberty and 33rd, H. Wurzell.
Penn and 54th, G. W. Tokle.
Sarah and 27th Sts., Liebert's Pharmacy.

CARNEGIE, PA.

Valley Pharmacy.
R. J. Hardy.

VERONA, PA.

The City Pharmacy, H. C. Wolfe.
Whiteley's Pharmacy.

WILMERDING, PA.

H. G. Croushore.
Sunderland's Pharmacy.

MT. OLIVER, PA.

Southern Ave., 10, Louis A. Rectenwald.
Southern Ave., A. Bowers & Son.

OAKMONT, PA.

Frank A. Cooper.
Thos. S. Lewis.

McKEES ROCKS, PA.

Copeland's Drug Store.

CARRICK, PA.

Carrick Pharmacy.

TURTLE CREEK, PA.

Frank Bros.' Drug Store.

EAST McKEESPORT, PA.

East McKeesport Pharmacy.

EDGEWOOD, PA.

F. Karl Deflin, Ph. G.

ASPINWALL, PA.

Aspinwall, Pa., J. J. Frey.

CRAFTON, PA.

Ridge Ave. Pharmacy.

CLAIRTON, PA.

Frank Bros. Drug Co.

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YOUNG MEN to travel, or city salesmen; hardware, grocery, tobacco, candy, paints, machinery; $60 and up; beginners preferred. NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 235 FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.

YOUNG MAN wanted immediately; a strong, active young man to work in warehouse and on delivery wagons; a permanent position if satisfactory. Apply Monday to shipper, Baker Office Furniture Co., 815-817 Liberty ave.

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ELECTIONS.

Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Co., Office 50 Carson st., South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 5, 1906.

ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office, 50 Carson street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, February 20, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a president and 10 directors, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

F. J. LeMOYNE, Secretary.

ELECTION—An adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the North Side Bridge Company will be held in directors' room of the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, Fourth ave. and Wood st., Thursday, February 15, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five directors to serve during the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before the meeting. Geo. J. Gorman, president.

NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate for one share of the common stock of the Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Ashtabula Railroad Company, in the name of Hannah R. Fassett, numbered 258 and dated January 20, 1888, has been lost, mislaid, or destroyed, and that the undersigned has made application to the Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Ashtabula Railroad Company, as its successor, for a new certificate in lieu of said certificate so lost, mislaid, or destroyed. Henry N. Campbell, executor of estate of Hannah R. Fassett.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate for 50 shares of the common stock of Consolidated Ice Company of Pittsburgh, number A 1865, dated November 23, 1905, in the name of Harry L. Neff has been lost or destroyed, and that the undersigned has made application to the Consolidated Ice Company for a new certificate in lieu of said certificate so lost or destroyed. Harry L. Neff.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership association of Zug & Company, Limited, organized and existing under an act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act authorizing the formation of partnership associations, in which the capital subscribed shall alone be responsible for the debts of the association, except under certain circumstances," approved June 2, A. D. 1874, and its amendments and supplements, has been dissolved by reason of the fact that the period fixed for the duration of said association has expired, and that Charles H. Zug, Charles H. Reid and Horace G. Dravo have been appointed liquidating trustees thereof, who have full power to settle the affairs of said association.

CHARLES H. ZUG,
CHARLES H. REID,
HORACE G. DRAVO,
Liquidating Trustees of Zug & Co., Limited.

MEETINGS.

Office of National Fire Proofing Company. NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution duly passed at a meeting of the board of directors of the National Fire Proofing Company, held on the 2nd day of February, 1906, a special meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the general office of the company, in the Bessemer building, on the corner of Sixth street and Duquesne way, in the city of Pittsburgh and state of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, the fifth (5th) day of April, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to take action on approval or disapproval of a proposed increase in the indebtedness of the company from nothing to $2,500,000.

C. G. JONES, Secretary.

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Lutheran.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, Mt. Vernon street and Lang avenue, Robt. W. Woods, pastor—11, "Blessed are the Meek for They Shall Inherit the Earth;" 7:45, "The Gospel of the Glory of Christ."

FIRST CHURCH, Braddock, Wm. J. Bucher, pastor—10:45, "What Think Ye of Christ?" 7:30, "The Deaconess Work." Sermon by Rev. C. E. Hay, D. D., Baltimore, Md.

FIRST ENGLISH, Sharpsburg, J. Harry Main, pastor—11, "Christ Stilling the Tempest;" 7:45, "The Fair Haven of Rest;" last of series on "The Voyage of Life."

TRINITY, Allegheny, Stockton avenue and Arch street, A. J. Turkle, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The King's Business;" 7:45, "Light Has Come, Men Love Darkness."

GRACE, Allegheny, Hamilton and Tinsbury streets, W. H. Nicholas, pastor—10:45, "The Christian's Standard of Greatness;" 7:45, "The Wicked Husbandmen."

BETHANY, North Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, John Weidley, D. D., pastor—11, "Failure-Success;" 7:45, "Confidence Inspired and Honored."

BETHEL, Allegheny, Franklin and Manhattan streets, C. B. King, pastor—10:30, "Our Call to Service;" 7:45, "Making the Best of Ourselves."

MT. ZION, Forty-fourth and Sherman streets, C. P. Wiles, pastor—10:45, "Laborers and Their Wages;" 7:45, "Miriam, the Sister of Moses."

BRUSHTON AVENUE, Brushton and Hamilton avenues, S. N. Carpenter, pastor—11, "A Castaway;" 7:45, "The Four Lepers of Samaria."

ST. MARK'S, Allegheny, North avenue and Middle street, Eli Miller, pastor—11 and 7:30, Rev. Geo. L. Rankin of Greenville, will preach.

CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT, 814 Anderson street, H. C. Erdman, pastor—11, "Satan;" 7:45, "Prayer for Progress in Christian Life."

TRINITY, McKeesport, P. T. E. Stockelager, pastor—11, "The Divine and Human in Spiritual Success;" 7:30, "The Beauty of the Lord."

CHRIST'S, Wilmerding, Harry C. Michael, pastor—10:45, "Civic Righteousness;" 7:30, Union service in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

CHRIST'S, Millvale, S. E. Smith, pastor—10:45, "A Prize Worth Winning;" 7:45, "Labor and Its Reward."

FIRST, New Kensington, U. A. Hankey, pastor—11, "Jesus and His First Disciples;" 7:30, "The Devil."

ALPHA, Turtle Creek, M. Stan. Kemp, pastor—11, "Jesus Feeding the Five Thousand;" 7:30, "Timothy."

TRINITY, Tarentum, B. E. Shaner, pastor—11, "God Bless the Lads;" 7, "Mine Own Vineyards."

EMANUEL, Etna, J. M. Guss, pastor—10:30, "Types and Anti-types;" 7:30, "Feeding in the Ways."

HEBRON, East Pittsburgh, H. D. Hoover, pastor—11, "We Three;" 7:30, "Paul, the Prisoner."

FIRST, Grant street, D. H. Geissinger, D. D., pastor—Usual services, 10:45 and 7:45.

Christian.

FIRST, Arch street and Montgomery avenue, Allegheny, Wallace Thorp, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Far Country;" 7:45, "God's Universal Judgments."

CENTRAL, Pride street, near Fifth avenue, C. L. Thurgood, pastor—10:30, "Isaac, a Study in Marriage;" 7:45, "Leave Your Nets and Follow Me."

SHADY AVENUE, Grant E. Pike, pastor—"Missions by the Sick Social Route;" 7:45, "Weighed in the Balance and Found Wanting."

OBSERVATORY HILL, Allegheny, John A. Jayne, pastor—10:45, "The Animated Interrogation;" 8, "Forgotten and Unsung Heroes."

WILKINSBURG, South and Wood streets, L. N. D. Wells, pastor—11, "Christ's Second Temptation;" 7:45, "A Test Question."

FIRST, Ellwood City, Ferd. F. Shultz, pastor—"Our Responsibilities to China;" 7:45, "God, a Square Deal for Every Man."

BELLEVUE, Lincoln and Preston avenues, Alfred W. Place, pastor—"Letters to Ephnus;" 7:45, "A Trial at Law."

HERRON HILL, J. D. Dabury, pastor—10:45, "The Gospel in the Letters;" 7:45, "The Change from Nazareth to Capernaum."

BELMAR, Race and Sterrett streets, E. E. Manley, pastor—11, "On to Perfection;" 7:45, "Christ Our Refuge."

CRAFTON, Walter S. Rounds, pastor—11, "A New Commandment;" 7:45, "Expository Sermon from Philippians."

BRADDOCK, O. H. Phillips, pastor—"The Destructive Power of Care;" 7:45, "Mind Your Own Business."

McKEES ROCKS, S. E. Brewster, pastor—11:45, "Our Commission;" 7:45, "Progress of the World."

Methodist Episcopal.

NORTH AVENUE, Allegheny, Charles W. Blodgett, D. D., pastor—Morning, "The Transfiguration of Christ;" evening, "The Anxiety of the Greeks to See Jesus." Evangelistic services and baptism after the evening service. The members of the new Duquesne Heights mission will attend.

SANDUSKY STREET, Allegheny, B. F. Woodburn, pastor—11, the Rev. A. J. Bonsall will preach, subject, "The Twofold Work of the Church," baptismal service; 7:45, "Woman's Worth and Woman's Work."

MAPLE AVENUE, the Rev. T. J. Ward will preach at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., subjects, "Africa and Its Great Needs;" "The Judgment of the World."

SHADY AVENUE, Shady, near Penn avenue, W. A. Stanton, pastor—11, "God's Method in Teaching Man;" 7:45, "A Night on the Sea With Christ."

UNION, South Nineteenth, below Carson street, A. A. Nellis, pastor—10:30, "What Mean Ye By Those Stones;" 7:30, evangelistic services.

BETH-EDEN, Chartiers street, Allegheny, J. S. Hutson, pastor—10:45, "Letting Down the Net;" 7:30, "Are There Few or Many Saved?"

FIRST, McKeesport, J. A. Maxwell, pastor—10:30, "The Reality and Personality of the Devil;" 7:30, "The World's Broadway."

HOMEWOOD, George W. Taft, pastor—11, "A Fisherman's Experience;" 7:45, "None Other Name or the Intolerant Christ."

OAKLAND, A. R. Stark, pastor—10:45, "An Object of Prayer;" 7:45, "No Place for Repentance."

Unitarian.

SECOND, 523 Sandusky street, Allegheny, Thomas Clayton, pastor—7:45, "Abraham Lincoln—Man, Patriot and Prophet."

FIRST, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, L. Walter Mason, pastor—11, "Faith."

Christian Science.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, Clyde street, near Fifth avenue—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., subject, "Mind."

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Presbyterian.

EAST LIBERTY, Penn and Highland avenues, Frank W. Sneed, D. D., pastor—11, the Rev. C. L. Nelbel will preach, subject, "Touching Christ;" 3, Mrs. Major Stanyon, slum secretary of the Salvation Army in New York, will speak; 7:45, "Rev. Victor Bucher will preach, subject, "Christ's First Sermon."

SHADYSIDE, Amberson, near Fifth avenue, J. Kinsey Smith, D. D., pastor—11, "The Great Darkness and the Greater Light;" 7:45, "The Book of Deuteronomy or the Last Words of Moses to Israel."

PARK AVENUE, S. L. Boston, pastor—Morning, "The Lord's Hand Not Shortened;" evening, "How Shall We Escape if We Neglect." Evening service preceded by half hour of song.

POINT BREEZE, Fifth and Penn avenues, W. S. Fulton, D. D., pastor—11, "Following Christ;" 7:45, evangelistic services in charge of the Rev. J. Allison Platts.

FIRST, Sixth avenue, near Wood street, Maitland Alexander, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Value of Associations;" 4, "An Inspired Life;" 8, "Out Into the Deep."

HIGHLAND, Highland and Wellesley avenues, C. P. Cheeseman, D. D., pastor—11, "Paul Before Felix;" 7:45, the Rev. Dr. H. T. McClelland will preach.

NORTH, Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, H. D. Lindsay, D. D., pastor—11, "What We Know Against Ourselves;" 7:45, the Rev. W. A. Kinter will preach.

SECOND, Eighth street, below Penn avenue, S. Edward Young, D. D., pastor—10:30, "Saul, the Heart Breaker;" 7:30, "The Prodigal Son's Family."

FOURTH, Evaline street, near Liberty avenue, Samuel Calden, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Heroic in Religion;" 7:45, "Abraham Lincoln."

THIRD, Fifth and South Negley avenues, W. L. McEwan, D. D., pastor—11, "Religion and Righteousness;" 8, "Transforming Faith."

LAWRENCEVILLE, Thirty-ninth street, A. E. Linn, D. D., pastor—11, "Then Touched He Their Eyes;" 7:45, "Teach Me Thy Statutes."

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, A. R. Van Fossen, pastor—11, "The Conversion of Paul;" 7:30, "A Test of Jesus."

FIRST, Arch street, Allegheny, D. S. Kennedy, D. D., pastor—10:45, "Christ the Prophet;" 7:45, "Adam the Primitive."

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, A. R. VanFossen, pastor—11, "The Vision of Paul;" 7:30, "A Test of Jesus."

MANCHESTER, Allegheny, D. A. Greene, pastor—10:45, "Truth and the Truth Seeker;" 7:30, "The Sword of the Spirit."

FORTY-THIRD STREET, U. S. Greves, pastor—11, Christian Exclusiveness;" 7:45, "Simple Sloth and Presumption."

BELLEFIELD, Bellefield and Fifth avenues, Daniel Russell, pastor—11, regular services; 8, "To Middle Aged Men."

United Presbyterian.

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress street, J. K. McClurkin, D. D., pastor—11, "I Dwell Among My Own People;" 7:45, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Chalmers will preach, subject, "God's Work Among the Hebrews."

SIXTH, North Highland avenue, East End, R. M. Russell, D. D., pastor—11, "The Post-Ascension Message of Christ to the Church at Ephesus;" 7:45, "Denying Lusts of the Flesh."

THIRD, Diamond street, near Ross, J. T. McCrory, D. D., pastor—10:45, "Silver Trumpets, or Ready for War or Worship;" 7:45, "A Thrilling Story of Escape from Deady Peril."

EIGHTH, Perrysville and Euclid avenues, Allegheny, W. I. Wishart, pastor—10:30, "Conditions of Largest Service for the Kingdom;" 7:45, "Persons or Things in Religion."

LINCOLN, North Negley avenue, S. W. McKelvey, pastor—11, "The Quality of Divine Mercy;" 7:45, "Instruction That Is Thy Life."

FIRST, Braddock, Parker avenue, O. E. Harris, pastor—10:45, "The Saved Man Growing; 7:30, "Why Aren't All People Saved?"

FIRST, Fifth avenue, Oakland, William J. Reid, pastor—10:45, "Marvelous Unbelief;" 4, "The Symptoms and Cure of Unbelief."

FOURTH, Allegheny, Thomas Park, D. D., pastor—11, "Quit You Like Men;" 7:45, "How to Be First."

Reformed.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, Termon avenue, Allegheny, Rev. Albert C. Dieffenbach, pastor—11, "The Neglected Factor in Christ's Power;" 7:45, "Will the Greater City be a Better City?"

ST. MARK'S MEMORIAL, North Highland avenue and Harvard street, Edgar H. Dietrich, pastor—11, "Religion; a Superfluity or a Necessity?" 7:45, "The Meaning of Moral Conflict."

ST. LUKE'S, Fourth street and Camp avenue, Braddock, Rev. John J. Leberman, D. D., pastor—11, "The Heathen Nations Ready to Receive the Gospel;" 7:30, "Soldiers of Christ."

GRACE, Dithridge and Bayard streets, John H. Prugh, D. D., pastor—11, "The Christian Soldier's Marching Orders;" 7:45, "Forever and Ever;" Lord's prayer service.

ST. PAUL'S, Forty-fourth street, near Butler, Rev. Henry Hopkey, pastor—10:45, "Separation from Sin;" 7:45, "A Foolish Son is a Grief to His Father."

TRINITY, New Kensington, Rev. John A. Leuninger, pastor—11, "Whom Shall We Obey, the Self-Appointed or God?" 7:30, foreign missionary service.

GRACE, Fourth street and Viola avenue, Duquesne, Rev. D. B. Lady, D. D., pastor—11, "Work and the Reward;" 7:30, "Our Best Friend."

TRINITY, Rebecca and Coal streets, Wilkinsburg, Rev. Lewis Robb, pastor—11, "The Transfigured Christ;" 7:30, "Christ's Given Name."

IMMANUEL'S, Ellwood City, Rev. A. K. Kline, pastor—11, D. A. Souders, superintendent missions Pittsburgh synod.

CALVARY, Turtle Creek, Rev. T. R. Dietz, pastor, 11, "Missions;" 7:30, foreign mission service.

FIRST, Pitcairn, Rev. A. B. Bauman, pastor—10:45, foreign mission service; 7:45, "Children of God."

BETHANY, Greenfield street, A. K. Kline, pastor—3, "To See and Know Christ for Yourself."

Protestant Episcopal.

CHRIST, Union avenue, Allegheny, R. Meech, D. D., rector—8:30, communion; 10:45, sermon; 6:45, young people's prayer service led by Samuel Lyons; 7:45, address by the Rev. E. H. Young, associate rector.

TRINITY, Sixth avenue, A. W. Arundel, D. D., rector—8, communion; 10:45, "Jesus' Estimate of a Cup of Cold Water;" 7:30, "A Good Warfare."

Reformed Presbyterian.

FIRST, Euclid avenue and Baum street, Thomas Watters, D. D., pastor—11, "The Character of Lincoln;" 2, Bible school.

EIGHTH STREET, D. M. Allister, pastor—10:30, "Divine Healing;" 3, "The Engrafted Word."

Miscellaneous.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL, B. G. Newton, pastor, usual services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. the pastor will report on the convention held at Dayton, O., this week looking toward the union of the Congregational, United Brethren and Methodist Protestant churches.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Penn avenue and Seventh street—4 p. m., young men's meeting, addressed by R. C. Multhatan; 8 p. m., Bible class, taught by C. A. Edsall.

SECOND CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Penn and Brushton avenues, W. Frank Silvers, pastor—Morning, "Our Duty to the House of God;" evening, "The Vanity of Mirth."

WELSH PRESBYTERIAN, McDevitt place and Hamlet street, Oakland—10:30, Rev. T. C. Davis will preach in Welsh; 7:30, Rev. Thomas Waters will preach in English.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, Boquet street, Mrs. E. Ham, test medium—10:45 and 7:45, practical demonstration of the spiritual philosophy.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS OF ALLEGHENY, 24 West Lacock street, Rev. George C. Day, speaker—2:45 and 7:15 p. m., usual services.

NEW CHURCH, SWEDENBORGIAN, Wallingford, near Morewood street, East End, N. D. Pendleton, pastor—11, "The Woman Clothed With the Sun."

FIRST SPIRITUALISTS OF HOMESTEAD, Ann street and Eighth avenue, Mrs. Celia Murtha Clifford, medium—8 p. m., usual services.

UNIVERSALIST, 502 Federal street, Allegheny, George B. Storking, minister—10:30, "Fellow Laborers With Christ."

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

Office of Pittsburgh Art Glass and Mosaic Decorating Co.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—The board of directors of this company has called a special meeting of its stockholders, to be held at the general office of the company, in the city of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, on the 13th day of April, 1906, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock.

A. W. WEITERSHAUSEN, Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE.

WM. M. McGILL, ESQ., ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, PARK BLDG., PITTSBURGH.

PUBLIC SALE
OF THE REAL ESTATE OF
HUGH DICKSON, DECEASED,
Situate on
Haldane Street, Twenty-Third Ward, Pittsburgh.

The undersigned executor of the estate of Hugh Dickson, deceased, will offer the following described real estate of the deceased at public sale on the premises, on

Tuesday, February 13, 1906
At 10 O'Clock A. M.

All those two lots or pieces of ground situate in the Twenty-third ward of the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, being lots numbers eighteen and nineteen (18 and 19), in the Squirrel Hill Land Company's plan of lots as recorded in plan book Vol. 10, page 152,

HIGH GRADE STOCKS ADVANCED SHARPLY

Northern Pacific Reached the Highest Price Since the Famous "Corner"—General Market Firm. Local Securities Also Steadier.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday verified the saying that "to him that hath shall be given." That is, the stocks which scored the greatest advance were those which were already selling at record-breaking prices and regarding which there were no new developments. Northern Pacific rose from 214 to 223, the highest since the famous "corner," and closed at 222, a net gain for the day of 8 per cent. Great Northern preferred rose from 340 to 348, a new high record, and closed at 346½, a net advance for the day of 8½ per cent.

The movement in these stocks, which was entirely without news, seemed to have a stimulating effect upon other high-grade issues, all of which were strong and higher. Northwestern closed 4¼ per cent higher, Delaware & Hudson 3½ higher, Union Pacific 1⅝ higher and New York Central 1½ higher. The street has no knowledge of treasury transactions on the part of Union Pacific, and therefore does not know whether the company has disposed of its holdings of Great Northern and Northern Pacific, or whether it still retains the stocks received at the time of the disintegration of Northern Securities. If it still has these stocks in its treasury, then the record-breaking prices established yesterday would mean an addition to the paper profits of Union Pacific. The latter stock, while firm and closing higher, did not display any special enthusiasm, such as would seem to have been warranted if it were still holding the securities referred to.

The rise in Canadian Pacific, which opened strong and higher, advanced to 175½ and closed with a net gain of 1¾ per cent, was based upon the announcement that the company had decided to issue $20,000,000 new stock and allot the same to stockholders at par. This transaction, it is calculated, is equivalent to a dividend of 12 per cent to holders of Canadian Pacific at yesterday's prices. The probability of this increase, which would carry valuable rights, was referred to in this department Wednesday morning.

While there was a slight falling off in the dealings—the total sales for the day slightly exceeding 900,000 shares—the strength of the stocks referred to had a good effect upon the entire list, which closed firm and not far from the best prices of the day. Reading was a strong feature, and advanced despite the uncertainty regarding the labor outlook, closing at a net gain of 2⅜ per cent. It was thought that much of the buying was for account of shorts covering. Earlier in the week there was a general veering around to the bear side of the market, and it is thought a very respectable short interest has accumulated.

The industrials were relatively as strong as the railroads and all closed higher. United States Steel common closed ⅞ and the preferred ¾ per cent higher. The minor iron and steel stocks closed ¾ to 1½ higher. The copper stocks were steady and Amalgamated closed ⅞ higher. Among the inactive specialties New York Air Brake and Virginia Chemical were strong and closed nearly 4 points higher than the day before.

There was no change in call loan rates, and the announcement that $2,000,000 gold had been engaged for shipment to Mexico had no effect upon the money market. A feature of the week's currency movement is the light receipts from the interior, and inasmuch as the sub-treasury has been drawing cash from the banks, an unfavorable statement is looked for today.

In the local stock market there was considerable irregularity to prices, and as usual of late the bulk of the business was in the mining department, both on the regular board and in the curb market. Crucible Steel was the strongest of the industrial list. The common on sales of 1,350 shares advanced to 16⅝ and closed at 16⅝, a net gain of ⅝ per cent. The preferred was less active, but rallied to and closed at 70¼, a gain of ½ per cent. The splendid earnings for January, which were the largest for any month in the history of the company, were responsible for the recovery. The Brewing issues were all lower. Pittsburgh Brewing was quoted ex-dividend, and both common and preferred lost more than the dividend. Philadelphia Company was fairly active, 650 shares changing hands at 52⅞ to 53. Manufacturers Light and Heat was a shade lower at 32¼. Ohio Fuel Supply was steady at 37½. Pittsburgh Plate Glass was moderately active at 120. The coal stocks were extremely dull and nominally unchanged in price. Westinghouse Electric declined to 82⅞ and closed at 83, a loss of a dollar a share. In the mining department Ohio Tonopah was active, 12,200 shares changing hands at 43 to 47 cents a share. Lustre was weak, declining a dollar a share at 30. Tonopah Extension declined from $8 45 to $8 31 and closed at $8 40. The rest of the market was quiet and unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

60	Mfrs. L. & H.	32¾	
50	do	32¼	
50	do	32¾	
4	U. S. Stl. pfd	106	
1	do	108¾	
105	Luster	31	
124	Electric rights	.10	
220	do	.10	
270	do	.11	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

15	Crucible com	16¼	
16	do	16¼	
100	do	16¼	
75	do	16¼	
20	do	16¼	
15	do	16¼	
100	Ohio Tonopah	.44	
100	do	.44	
30	Crucible pfd	78¾	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10	Cons. Ice com	7½	
50	Marsden	3	
25	do	3	
50	P. Brew. com	27⅞	
200	Crucible pfd	78¾	
100	Ohio Tonopah	.44	
100	do	.44	
100	do	.44	
100	Luster	30½	
154	Electric rights	.12	
568	do	.12	
67	do	.12	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

20	Electric rights	.11	
150	do	.12	
700	do	.12	
170	do	.12	
100	Crucible pfd	78¼	
50	do	78¾	
2	Ohio Fuel	37½	
50	U. S. Stl. com	44¾	
100	Phila. com	52⅞	
100	do	53	
80	do	53	
25	P. Plate Glass	120	
25	do	120	
50	H.W. R. com	14¼	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

$2000	P.&A. T. 5s	82½	
590	Tonopah Ext	8.35	
200	do	8.35	
100	do	8.35	
100	do	8.31	
120	do	8.31	
200	do	8.31	
1000	Ohio Tonopah	.43	
1000	do	.44	
1400	do	.44	
300	do	.45	
500	do	.45	
1000	do	.45	
4000	do	.45	
53	Ohio Fuel	37½	
78	P. Plate Glass	120	
20	P. brew. com	*27½	
30	do	*27½	
10	Tonopah Ext	8.40	
5	Riv. Coal pfd	25	
5	do	24	
10	do	23	
2	U. S. Stl. pfd	108½	
5	do	109½	
50	P. Brew. pfd	*83¼	
5	Electric 2nds	82⅝	
50	do	83	
14	Phila. pfd	*49½	

*Ex-dividend. †Cash.

Summary.

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chge.
10	Cons. Ice com	7½	7½	7½	+ ½
1351	Crucible Steel	16⅝	16¼	16⅝	+ ⅝
465	Do preferred	79¼	78⅜	79¼	+ ⅞
275	Fire Proofing	9¼	9	9	— ⅜
104	Do preferred	27½	27½	27½	0
225	H.-W. Refrac	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
120	Ind. Brew. com	14	14	14	— ¼
246	Lustre	31	30	30	—1
201	Mfrs. L. & H	32⅝	32¼	32¼	— ¼
75	Marsden	3	3	3	0
12200	Ohio Tonopah	.47	.43	.47	+.02
50	Ohio Fuel	37½	37½	37½	0
650	Phila. Co	53	52⅞	53	0
14	Do preferred	149½	149⅜	149⅜	+ ⅛
120	Pitts. Brewing	127⅞	127½	127½	— ⅜
59	Do preferred	84¾	84¾	84¾	—1⅛
10	Pitts. Coal com	16	16	16	+ ⅛
135	Pitts. Plate Glass	120	120	120	0
30	River Coal pfd	26	26	26	0
60	Sewer Pipe	34½	34¼	34¼	0
1365	Tonopah Ext	8.45	8.31	8.40	—.05
250	U. S. Steel	45	44½	45	+1¼
12	Do preferred	*108½	*108½	*109½	+ ⅝
365	West. Elec. 2ds	83	82½	83	—1
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4590	West. Electric	.12¾	.10	.12½	+.02½

BONDS.

$3000	P. & A. Tel. 5s	82½	82½	82½	0

*Less than 10 shares. †Ex-dividend or ex-interest. ‡New high mark.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	50	142	....
Bank of Pittsburgh	100	....	170
Duquesne National	100	....	290
Farmers Deposit National	100	1115	....
First National, Pittsburgh	100	604	....
Iron City Trust	100	122	....
Merchants Savings & Trust	50	50	....
Mercantile Trust	100	....	120
Real Estate Trust	100	....	250
Second National, Pittsburgh	100	....	268
Traders & Mechanics	50	70	....
Allegheny Banks—			
First National, Allegheny	100	....	153
Second National, Allegheny	100	....	125
Insurance—			
Allemannia Insurance	50	65	....
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	34½	34¾
Consolidated Gas pfd	50	29¾	30
Consolidated Ice	50	7½	8
Do preferred	50	28¼	....
Central District & Printing	100	125	185
Crucible Steel	100	16⅜	16¾
Do preferred	100	70¼	70½
Harbison-Walker Co. pfd	100	....	81½
Independent Brewing	50	14	14½
Do preferred	50	....	41½
Lustre Mining	10	30	30½
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	32¼	32¾
Marsden	100	2¾	3
Monongahela River Coal	50	8	....
Do preferred	50	20	23½
National Fire Proofing	50	9¼	9½
Do preferred	50	27¾	27¾
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	37½	37¾
Ohio Tonopah	1	.46	.48
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas	100	47	....
Peoples Pipage	25	....	26
Philadelphia Company	50	52¾	....
*Pittsburgh Brewing	50	27	27¾
*Do preferred	50	48¼	48½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	15¾	16¼
Do preferred	100	....	58
Standard Underground Cable	100	203½	....
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	4	....
United Copper	100	74¾	75
United States Glass	100	59	....
Westinghouse Electric	50	82½	83
Do 1st preferred	50	99	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	....	167
BONDS.			
Allegheny County Light 6s	....	....	107
Independent Brewing 6s	....	105½	105⅞
Monongahela R. & P. 5s	....	102	....
Monongahela River Coal 6s	....	109½	....
P., P. & A. Tel. 5s	....	82½	83¾
Pitts., McK. & Conn. 1st 6s	....	104¾	104¾
Philadelphia Co. 5s	....	111	113½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113	....

*Ex-dividend.

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by Geo. W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	40	....
Union Natural Gas	10½	....
Fayette County Gas	94	....
Fuse Oil	7	....
Dominion Gas	....	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas	....	45
Window Glass Machine com.	....	6
Window Glass Machine pref.	....	18
Nat. Union Fire Ins. Co.	150	....
Stewart Creek Mining Co.	....	02
Red Rock Mining Co.	....	70
Golden Anchor Mining Co.	1.25	1.49
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.)	.35	....
Trade Dollar	1.20	1.25
Cable Lease	6½	....
Yellow Tiger	....	.17
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s	....	99
*Union Steels 5s	80½	100
Natl. Glass gen. mtg. 6s	97¼	....
*Ohio Valley Water	....	95½
SALES.		
1000 Black Hills		.20
500 Black Hills		.20
225 Golden Anchor		1.49
1000 Golden Anchor		1.38
200 Black Hills		.20
100 Black Hills		.20
1500 Golden Anchor		1.36
1000 Golden Anchor		1.38

*And Interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The indications are that today's New York bank statement will make an unfavorable showing as to cash reserves, although it will remain for the loan item to determine the extent of the loss, if any, in surplus reserve. The loss by the banks to the sub-treasury of $4,750,000 seems not to have been offset by more than a million dollars received on balance on the interior movement. As the sub-treasury gain is largely due to payments of internal revenue collections made for account of interior banks, which have drawn on their New York deposits, the interior in effect has withdrawn funds from New York during the week. Much interest attaches to the loan item of the banks in view of this showing. The quiet stock market during the week has given little cause for changes in the loan item, but if the process of renewing maturing loans due to interior lenders by resort to the New York banks has gone on during the week there may be a further loan expansion to be reckoned with. The offering of new loan issues of bonds and stocks also is a feature of the situation of growing prominence which may have its effect on bank loans. Notwithstanding the apparent current of cash away from New York, exchange at Chicago rose to 20 cents premium yesterday. Foreign exchange also was easier and the advance in sterling at Paris continued. The shipment of the gold engaged for South America was postponed until next week instead of going this week as at first intended.

In the New York stock market there was a change in the leadership among the high grade issues. Heretofore Northern Pacific has merely followed the movement in Great Northern preferred. Yesterday Northern Pacific took the leadership and caused a supposition that developments special to itself were behind the movement. News of the developments was not forthcoming beyond the stage of unauthorized gossip. This pointed either to a stock issue with subscription rights, a distribution of surplus earnings, consolidation, or other railroads. Rumors of Union Pacific's acquisition of Illinois Central have caused some revived talk of projects for a southwestern outlet by other Pacific railroads. It was noticed that the St. Louis Southwestern stocks also were aggressively strong, without special explanation.

The New York bond market was extremely dull yesterday, the sales footing up only $2,276,000, par value. The Japanese issues contributed $453,000 to this total. The Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal seconds were unusually active, sales reaching $151,000 at prices ranging from 40¾ to 40. Sales of Wabash debenture B bonds amounted to $170,000 at 80¾ to 80.

Some disappointment was expressed over the action of Pittsburgh Brewing stocks because the market price did not recover any of the dividend which came on yesterday. Both lost more than the dividend and closed rather heavy. In stock market circles the feeling has been rather bullish on these stocks, but for sentimental reasons the investment demand is restricted.

In the local curb market the most active stocks were Black Hills Mining, which at one time sold as high as 36 cents, and Golden Anchor, which declined from $1 49 to $1 25 and recovered to $1 38.

Crucible Steel common recovered almost all its recent loss and the preferred was also higher, both issues being affected by the report of January earnings. It is not thought that the full rate of dividend on the preferred will be restored in April, but there is a probability that 1¾ per cent will be paid in July. In that event, it is thought the preferred stock will rise to a parity with some of the other iron and steel preferred shares paying the same rate of dividend—provided business conditions continue as favorable as at present.

The probability is that the stock market today will be a small affair, because of the holiday on Monday.

Regarding the position of the deal for transferring control of the Philadelphia Company the Philadelphia News Bureau says: "The visit of Patrick Calhoun of New York to this city in the interest of the United Railways Investment Company has particular significance. The merger plans of the San Francisco Company have been submitted to John G. Johnson and before they further action is contemplated the approval of Mr. Johnson will be necessary. There is but little doubt at this time that the talked of opposition on the part of the minority interests has weakened perceptibly as far as tangible evidence is concerned. The minority now speak less confidently of this ability to prevent the consolidation of the two interests and it is believed that as soon as the legal matters are adjusted the United Railways Investment Company will secure control of the Philadelphia Company. It has been suggested that C. H. Davis, B. Dernberg, W. G. Bowdin, Jr. of New York, who recently made an inspection of the Philadelphia Company system in Pittsburgh, have made such a favorable report on the property that the New York interests desiring control are anxious to enlarge their holdings to much greater proportions before undertaking definitely the step authorized by the United Railways shareholders at the special meeting."

All the stock exchanges, the Chicago board of trade and the local banks will remain closed Monday next, the anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, and a legal holiday in some states.

According to a Boston dispatch the American Telephone & Telegraph Company has practically completed important negotiations with New York and Boston banking interests looking to the sale of a large block of convertible bonds. The price at which the bonds are to be sold and the rate of interest will depend to a large extent on the price at which the bonds are convertible into stock. It will not be surprising if the issue exceeds $75,000,000.

Wall street attached some importance to the statement that J. P. Morgan, Charles Steele and Jacob H. Schiff held a conference yesterday which lasted an hour. Later Mr. Schiff was closeted with Harriman. It was reported that some question regarding the Northern Pacific is under discussion.

The directors of St. Louis & San Francisco railroad decided to pass the quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the second preferred stock. Dividends were begun on it July 5, 1898. The road is owned by the Rock Island system. There is $16,000,000 of the second preferred stock.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market 10c higher. Common to prime steers, $3 40@6 35; cows, $3 00@4 40; heifers, $2 50@6; bulls, $2@3 80; calves, $3@8 25; stockers and feeders, $2 40@4 60. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market weak to 5c lower. Choice to prime heavy, $5 90@6; medium to good heavy, $5 90@5 95; butchers' weights, $5 90@6; good to choice heavy mixed, $5 80@5 85; packing, $5 60@5 85. Sheep receipts, 7,000; sheep market steady to 10c higher, lambs firm. Sheep, $3 50@6; yearlings, $5 50@6 40; lambs, $5 50@7 85.

The Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 11 o'clock call on the produce exchange:

	Regular.		Foundry.	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	$15.75	....	$15.90	....
February	15.75	16.50	15.90	16.75
March	15.75	16.10	16.00	16.75
April	15.75	16.20	16.10	....
May	15.75	16.25	16.25	17.00
June	16.00	16.25	....	....

Market quiet.

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Last Bid.
Cambria Steel	37¼	36½	37
Consolidated Lake Superior	21	20½	20⅝
Electric Co. of America	11¾	11⅝	11⅞
Lehigh Valley	76¼	75½	76¼
Lehigh Navigation	113	112¾	112¾
Philadelphia Company	53⅝	53	53⅜
Philadelphia Electric Co.	7⅞	7 13-16	7¾
Union Traction	63½	63½	63¼
United Gas Improvement	98	97¼	97⅝

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

COMPLETE RECORD OF NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., 410 Wood street, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Closing Bids.
7500	A., T. & S. F	92½	93⅝	92	93⅝
500	Do preferred	104⅝	105¾	104⅝	105¾
2200	Am. Cotton Oil	88¼	88½	87⅝	88¼
6800	Am. Sugar Ref	145	146⅜	144½	144⅝
1800	Am. Locomotive	76	76	75¾	76
3500	Am. Car F'dry	44½	44¾	44½	44¾
67500	Anaal. Copper	114⅝	114⅞	113⅝	114⅞
12900	Amalgamated Copper	69	70¼	67¾	69⅛
22600	Am. C. & Fdry	156⅜	164	156⅜	163⅝
500	Do preferred	126	126	125½	126¾
	Am. Woolen	45¼	45¼	45	45½
2500	Balto. & Ohio	114	114½	114	114½
500	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
7800	Brk. Rap. Transit	84⅜	85¼	84⅜	85½
12200	Can. Pacific	175½	175½	174¾	175
500	Central Leather	45¾	46¼	45¾	45⅞
200	Do preferred	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜
700	Chicago & G. W	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
100	Consol. Gas	177½	177½	177½	177½
100	"C., C., C. & S. L.	104½	104¾	104½	104½
4500	Ches. & Ohio	58¾	59⅜	58⅞	59⅜
700	Chicago & N'w	230	233	230	233
13600	Col. Fuel & Iron	73¼	73⅝	71⅝	73½
400	Corn Product	18⅜	18⅝	18⅜	18⅝
200	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
9400	Col. Southern	34⅝	35¼	34⅛	35⅛
4500	Do 1st pfd	72¾	73	72¾	72¾
3600	Do 2d pfd	54	55¼	52⅝	53
2600	Del. & Hudson	213½	216	212½	216
12900	Erie	46¾	46⅝	46	46½
200	Do 1st pfd	78½	78½	78½	78½
500	Do 2d pfd	72½	72⅝	72½	72⅝
100	Hocking Valley	115	115	115	115
700	Ill. Central	176½	177¼	176½	177¼
4000	Iowa Central	31¾	32¼	31⅜	32¼
1000	Do preferred	59	60¾	59	60⅜
1600	Internat. Paper	....	....	....	....
300	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
7800	Louisv. & Nashv.	142¾	143⅝	142¾	143¼
2300	Missouri Pacific	101¾	102	101¾	101¾
1900	M., K. & T.	36⅝	36⅝	36½	36½
100	Do preferred	71	71	71	71
1900	Metropolitan	120¾	120¾	120⅜	120⅜
800	Do Securities	71	71⅜	71	71⅜
1000	Mex. Central	26	26	26	26
1300	Nat. Lead	84½	85⅜	83½	84¾
	Do Preferred	105½	106¼	105½	105¾
	Nat. Biscuit	70¾	70¾	70	70
	N. Y. Airbrake	156¾	161¾	156⅜	160⅞
6800	N. Y. Central	148¾	150	148¾	150
1100	N. Y., O. & W.	52¾	53⅜	52½	52⅝
2400	Norfolk & West	89½	89¾	89	89⅜
4600	North Amer. Co	101⅝	103¾	101⅝	103
77300	Northern Pacific	214	223	214	222
7000	Peoples Gas	100	100¾	99⅝	100¼
100	Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....
2900	Pressed Steel Car	61¾	62⅝	61¾	62
700	Do preferred	102½	102⅝	102	102⅝
22200	Penna. R. R	141⅜	142	141¼	141⅞
	P.C.C. & St.L.pfd	107¼	107¼	107¼	107½
	Pittsburgh Coal	16	16	16	16
	Railway Springs	60	60¾	60	60¾
174900	Reading	139⅞	142	138½	141¾
100	Do 1st preferred	94	94	94	94
1000	Do 2d preferred	....	....	....	....
2600	Rock Island	27¾	27¾	27	27⅞
1700	Do preferred	65⅜	66⅝	65⅜	65⅞
5500	Republic Iron	34¾	35¼	34¾	35⅝
400	Do preferred	107⅜	108	107⅜	108
6500	Southern Pacific	68	68¼	67¾	68¼
52400	Southern Railway	40⅝	41⅜	40⅜	40⅝
200	Do preferred	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
	St. Paul	184¾	185¾	184	185¼
2300	St. Louis & S'w	25⅞	26⅜	25⅞	26⅜
4900	Do preferred	57	58⅜	57	58½
100	Tenn. Coal & Iron	183	183	183	185
1300	Texas & Pacific	35¾	35¾	34¾	35⅛
500	T., St. L. & W.	38½	38⅝	38½	38⅝
400	Do preferred	67¾	67¾	67¼	67⅝
86700	U. S. Steel	44½	46	44	45
	Do preferred	106	110	106	109¾
	Do 2d 5% bonds	99⅜	99½	99¼	99½
143800	Union Pacific	154⅜	175¾	154⅜	176
800	Do preferred	98	98	97½	97½
800	U. S. Rubber	52⅜	53	*52⅜	53
200	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
	U. S. C. Pipe	45¾	45¾	45	45
	Do preferred	94	94	93¾	93¾
1200	Wabash	24½	24¾	24⅜	24⅝
400	Do preferred	47⅜	47⅞	47⅜	47⅝
200	Western Union	93¼	93⅝	93¼	93⅜
12300	W. & L. E.	21¼	21⅜	21	21⅛
	Do 1st preferred	47½	48	46½	47⅜
	Do 2d preferred	28⅜	29	28¼	28½
	Fed. M. & S.	184	190	184	188
	Do preferred	107	108	107	108
1100	Sloss	83⅜	84¼	83⅜	84
	Am. Dist. Corp.	58⅜	58⅜	57⅜	57⅜
	Nickel Plate	67	68¼	67	68
700	Va. & Car. Chem.	47⅜	51⅝	47⅜	51⅜
958900	Total sales.				

*Ex-dividend.

INACTIVE LIST.

300	Am. Steel Fds	....	13	12¾	12¾
1100	Do preferred	....	43⅜	42	43
100	Am. H. & L. pfd	....	35½	35½	35½
1000	Allis-Chalmers	....	24½	24¼	24⅜
200	Am. Beet Sugar	....	28	28	28
2500	Am. Wool	....	45¼	44	44¼
1500	At. Coast Line	....	163½	162	162½
1600	C. Union Traction	....	12¾	12	12¾
400	Do preferred	....	45¾	42	42½
100	C. C. H. & I.	....	23½	23½	23½
900	Det. Union Ry.	....	101	101	101½
	D. S. S. & A. pfd.	....	42¾	42	42⅝
1000	Fed. Smelting	....	190	184	189

NEW YORK BOND MARKET.

Following is a record of sales on the New York stock exchange yesterday, reported over the private wires of Whitney, Stephenson & Co., Frick building:

(Sales in $1,000.)

20	Adams Ex 4s	104⅝	
8	Am. H. & L. 6s	99	
10	Am. Ice deb. 6s	92½	
12	Am. Tob. 6s	117¼	
10	do	117⅝	
7	do	117⅝	
8	do	117½	
7	Atch. ev. 4s	94½	
20	do	104⅞	
9	Atch. 4s	104½	
23	do	104⅞	
8	do	104⅜	
10	Atch. adj. 4s	96⅞	
6	A. C. L. 4s	102½	
3	B. & O. gold 4s	104½	
4	do	104¾	
5	B. & O. 3½s	94½	
6	B. & O. S.W. 3½s	89⅜	
32	B. R. T. cv. 4s	90	
2300	Missouri Pacific	101¾	
10	do	102⅞	
5	Can. So. 1st	101⅝	
10	Can. Ga. 2d inc.	85½	
6	Can. Lr. 5s	101⅜	
10	Can. Pac. S. L. 4s	87⅝	
10	C. & O. 5s	112⅝	
10	C. M. & St. P. 4½s	106⅝	
5	C. & A. 5s	106¾	
5	C. & A. 4s	87½	
5	C. & A. 3½s	80⅝	
6	C. B. Q. 4s	101¼	
5	do	101⅛	
10	C. M. & St. P. 5s	114⅛	
5	C. R. I. P. RR. 4s	81⅜	
71	do	81	
17	C. R. I. P. ref. 4s	81	
10	C. R. I. P. Ry. 4s	120⅜	
5	C. F. I. & M. 5s	103	
18	Colo. Ind. 5s	73½	
5	Colo. Mid. 4s	77	
15	do	76¾	
5	do	78	
11	Colo. So. 4s	94½	
15	do	94¼	
2	Del. & Hud. 4s	106¾	
10	Del. & Hud. 4½s	116¾	
10	Den. & R. G. 4s	90¼	
10	Den. & R. G. 4½s	102¾	
5	Erie cv. 4s	106¾	
20	do	107	
2	E. Ir. pri. Hen. 4s	101	
24	Erie Pa. Coal	....	
	tr. 4s	95¾	
	Erie G. M. 4s	92¼	
15	do	92⅝	
10	Ft. W. & D. 1st	113½	
6	Green. Bay & W. deb	21½	
25	do	20	
83	Jap. 6s	100¼	
23	do	100⅜	
6	Jap. 6s 2nd	100¼	

Total, $2,570,000.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	92⅜	American Sugar	144⅝
Do preferred	103½	Do preferred	139
*Boston & Albany	256	Am. Tel. & Tel	142¾
*Boston & Maine	419	American Woolen	44⅜
Boston Elevated	150	Do preferred	100¼
*Fitchburg pfd	145	Dom. Iron & Steel	37⅜
Mexican Central	25½	†Edison Elec. Ill	267
N. Y. N. H. & H.	201	Mass. Gas	95⅝
Union Pacific	156	United Shoe Mach.	31½
Am. Arge. Chem.	31	Do preferred	31¼
Do preferred	97	U. S. Steel	44⅞
Am. Pneu Tube	18	Do preferred	109⅜

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	19⅜	Otis Elevator pfd	105
Do preferred	69¾	Seaboard Air Line	28
Electric Vehicle	14	Do preferred	59
Do preferred	15	Standard Oil	694
Green Con. Copp	27¼	Tennessee Copper	46½
Interborough	23⅞	Tonopah	17⅝
Int. Mer. Mar.	13⅞	Bethlehem Steel	32
Do preferred	86¼	Do preferred	90
International Salt	45¾	Greene Gold	5⅞
Do 5s	73	United Copper	74⅛
Otis Elevator	59	Do preferred	97

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Mass. Electric	18½	Westinghouse com.	81
Do preferred	67½		

MARKET MORE ACTIVE; MANY RUMORS GOING

Money Market, However, Took Unfavorable Turn—Unsatisfactory Statement Expected.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.

MARKET FOR POULTRY IS BECOMING ACTIVE

Good Demand, While the Receipts Are Scarce—Eggs Are Much Weaker.

About the only noticeable change in the markets yesterday was the scarcity of poultry, both dressed and live, for several days the arrivals have just been heavy enough to meet the demand. Yesterday, however, about all the available supply was cleaned up and more than likely the quotations will be raised in all lines during today. The fact that the packet lines are not running has an effect on the market, as large shipments of live poultry are received by the packets each day from down-river points and during the last week these shipments have been cut off.

There is very little fresh killed poultry arriving. Heavy roosting chickens, which are in good demand, are also scarce, and it is not thought there is a very large supply in transit. The quotations for turkeys, both live and dressed, were raised considerably yesterday.

There was no change in the egg quotations yesterday, but the market was reported as being in a much weaker condition. The supplies are still heavy and the demand has fallen off to a great extent since Wednesday. Cheese is reported as being very firm and butter is in about the same condition.

The firm market for California celery continues, although a wider range has been given the quotations. Sales for crates of exceptional quality are reported to have been made higher than the outside quotation.

No change has occurred in groceries for several days and everything is reported firm in this line.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania lines, 10 cars corn, 5 cars oats, 5 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car feed. Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 1 car straw, 2 cars hay. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars corn, 2 car oats.

While the receipts were a little heavier yesterday, there was no change in the general market and the tone is about the same. The market for oats is just fair and corn is finding an extremely dull sale. Hay is in good condition.

No. 1 timothy	$13.25@13.50	No. 1 white mixed	$21.50@22.00
No. 2 "	$11.50@12.00	No. 2 "	$21.25@21.75
No. 1 clover	$9.50@10.00	No. 1 mixed	$20.00@20.50
No. 2 clover	$8.50@9.00	No. 2 "	$19.50@20.00
No. 1 mixed	$10.00@10.50	Straw, oat	$7.00@7.50
No. 2 "	$9.50@9.75	do wheat	$7.00@7.50
Straw, oat	$7.00@7.50	do rye	$8.00@8.50
do wheat	$7.00@7.50	No. 1 white oats	36@36½c
do rye	$8.00@8.50	No. 2 white oats	35½@36c
No. 1 white oats	36@36½c	No. 3 white oats	35¼@35½c
No. 2 white oats	35½@36c	No. 4 oats	34@35c
No. 3 white oats	35¼@35½c		
No. 4 oats	34@35c		

PROVISIONS.

Hams.		Breakfast bacon.	
18 lbs and up	10½c	back strips	11½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	10½c	Dry salt sides, extra	
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11c	short clears	8½c
10 lbs and under	11½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9c
Skinned	11½c	do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
Boneless boiled	17½c	do under 16 lbs	9½c
California	6½c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra	
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c	short clears	9½c
do skinned	9c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	10c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	12c	do 16 to 20 lbs	10½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11½c	do under 16 lbs	10½c
do back strips	10½c	Lard, pure, tierces	9c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c		
do 10 to 12 lbs	11½c		

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.		do imported	27@27½c
Prints	30@32c	do Limberger, new	13½@14c
Tubs	29@29½c	do 5-lb brick, new	14½@15c
Ohio creamery	27@28c	do Neufchatel, large box	90@91.00
Dairy	26½@27½c	do Neufchatel, small box	95c
Cooking	20@21c	Eggs, selected	19@20c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	12½c	do strictly nearby fresh	21@22c
Ohio full cream	14½@15c	do southern	18@19c
do 5 cream	13@13½c	do storage	13@14c
do Pioneer	14@15½c		
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c		
do Block	15@15½c		

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes.		Apples.	
car lots, fancy, bu	60@65c	Fancy, bbl	$4.50@5.00
Cabbage, G. S., ton	$20.00@21.00	Choice, bbl	$3.50@4.25
		Onions, bbl	$1.75@1.85
		do bu	60@65c
		Cal. celery	$1.00@4.25

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs	12c	Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs	10c
Light steers	No. 1	Calf, green salt, No. 1	11c
Cows, all weights	12½c	do No. 2	11c
		do No. 1	13c

GROCERIES.

Flour.		do cubes	5.5c
Fancy, spg. Minn. pat	$4.75@4.80	do coffee A	4.8c
Kansas pat	$4.65@4.70	do No. 1 yellow	4.4c
Fancy winter patent	$4.25@4.50	do No. 2 yellow	4.4c
Rye	$3.00@3.20	Beans.	
Buckwheat	$2.50@3.00	Navy, choice, H. P.	$1.80@1.90
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.30@2.35	Red Kidney	$2.30@2.40
Cornmeal, bags	$2.15@2.25	Cal. Lima, lb	5½c
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.20	Peas, dried, bu	$1.80@1.85
do kegs	$2.75	do split, lb	3½c
Roasted Coffee.		do marrowfat, bu	$1.75@1.85
Rio	15@15½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg	12c
Santos	15½@15½c	do water white	18c
Maracaibo	15@15½c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12½c
Peaberry	15½@15c	do Elaine	18c
Golden Rio	15½c	Miners' oil, special brands	9@13c
Caracas	20@21½c	Rice, ex-fancy head lb	6½@7c
Standard, pkgs	14.55c	do fancy	6c
High grade	18½@19½c	do choice	4½@5c
Molasses, fancy, reined	35@36c	do choice, Carolina	5½@5½c
do choice	31@34c	Salt, No. 1, bbl	$1.10
do open ket	37@39c	do No. 1 extra	$1.20
do 2-lb	35c	do gran. rock	85c
do 3-lb	$1.35@1.65	do pocket	$1.65@2.10
Fancy syrup	28@30c	do dairy	$1.40
Maple sugar, gal	$1.05	Lentils, fancy	6c
Sug. and cane	31@32c	Shot, B.	$1.60
2-lb. cans, doz	50c	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$7.50@8.00
2½-lb cans, doz	85c	do 16-gal keg	$3.50@3.75
5-lb cans, doz	$1.70	do bbls	$13.50@15.00
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40	Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb	17@18c
Saurkraut, 40-gal cask	$7.50@8.00	do choice	15@16c
do 16-gal keg	$3.50@3.75	do buckwheat	15@16c
do bbls	$13.50@15.00		

PRODUCE.

Potatoes	70@75c	Lettuce, head	50@60c
Sweet potatoes, Jersey, fancy, bbl	$3.00@3.25	do rumpers	$4.00@4.50
Jersey sweets, crate	90c@$1.00	Endive, bbl	$5.00@6.00
do med. bbl	$1.75@2.00	Escarail	$4.50@5.00
do fancy, hamper	$1.00@1.10	Head lettuce, bbl	$7.00@10.00
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu	65@70c	Spinach, bskt	50@65c
do yellow Danvers, bbls	$1.75@2.00	do bbls	$1.75@2.00
Silver skins, bbls	$3.50@4.00	Rutabagas, bbl	$1.60@1.15
do bu	$1.50@1.75	Kale, bbl	75c@$1.00
Valencia, crates	$2.25@3.50	Cranberries, box	$5.00@5.50
do Spanish, crates	$1.40@1.50	Eggplant, crt	$3.00@3.50
Cabbage, bbls, G. S	$1.50@1.75	Garlic, lb	8@10c
do red	$1.75@2.00	Watercress, doz	25@30c
do Savoy, bbls	$1.00@1.25	Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$4.00@4.50
Green onions, doz	20@25c	Carrots, bbls	$1.75@2.00
Green peppers, crate	$3.00@3.50	Cucumbers, Boston, doz	$2.00@2.25
Green beans, bu	$4.00@4.50	Turnips, bbl	$1.50@1.75
Celery, Ohio, large bunches	40@50c	Mint, doz	50@75c
do small bunches	20@25c	Parsley, doz	40@50c
California celery, crate	$4.50@5.00	Parsnips, bbl	$2.00@2.25
do doz	75@80c	Horseradish	$5.50@6.00
		Brussels sprouts, quarts	15@18c
		Radishes, doz	25@30c
		Shallots	50@60c
		Strawberries, qt	40@50c
		Rhubarb, doz	50@60c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.05	Raspberries	85@85c
do pie, gal	$2.50@2.80	Gooseberries	85@90c
do California, L. C	$1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy	$1.10@1.30
do California, Y. F	$1.90@2.25	do standard	$1.05@1.15
Corn, fancy	1.10@1.20	do gal	$2.80
do stand	90@95c	Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.20
Cherries, California, white	$2.60@2.75	Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@85c
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45	Salmon, dos	95c@$2.00
do soaked	75@90c	do red, 1-lb. flats	95c@$1.00
String beans, 3-lb	65@70c	do pink, 1-lb. falls	$1.05@1.10
do 2-lb	80@85c	Chipped beef	$2.85@2.75
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.20@2.40
Pears, marrowfat	80@90c	do 1-lb. cans	$1.25@1.30
do early June	75@85c	Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
do soaked	55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ½s	$2.80@3.00
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65	do mustards, ½s	$2.80@2.90
Apples, N. Y. gal. cans	$2.50@2.75	do French	$6.00@13.50
Pineapples	$1.25@2.20		

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens	13@14c	Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do roosters	8@9c	do red head	$1.70@2.00
do turkeys	17@18c	do canvas-back	$2.75@3.00
do geese	10@11c	Imp. golden plover, doz	$2.50
do ducks	14@15c	do black plover	$4.50
do pigeons, doz	80c@$1.00	English pheasants, per pair	$2.25
Dressed hens	16@17c	do Long Island	
do springers	17@18c		
do roosters	11@12c		
do turkeys	20@23c		

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs	8@9½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	10@11½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb	10@12½c	do fancy	11@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb. pkgs	7½@7¾c	Cleaned currants, 1-lb. pkgs	8½@9c
		Prunes, Cal., lb	5@10c

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy	$6.00@6.50	Pineapples, smooth Cayenne	4 @4.50
Other fancy varieties	$5.00@5.50	Red Spanish	$4.00@4.50
do choice	$3.75@4.25	Prunes, bbls	$3.00@3.50
do California box	$1.75@3.00	Limes, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy	$4.00@4.50	Dates, stuffed	12c
do choice	$3.50@3.75	Figs, California, layer, lb	10@12c
Oranges, Florida	$2.25@2.75	Layer, lb	10@12c
California	$2.50@2.50	Grapes, Malaga, bbl	$5.00@7.50
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50	do fancy	$6.00@7.00
do doz	45@50c	Grape fruit, Florida	$5.00@6.00
Bananas Ists	$1.50@2.00	Tangerine straps	$4.00@5.00
do 2ds	$1.00@1.50		

NUTS.

New California walnuts	11c	English walnuts, lb	12@13c
Chestnuts, Italian	7@8c	Butternuts	$1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu	$1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb	11@12c
Walnuts, bu	50@75c	Almonds, lb	14@15c
		Pecans, lb	11@12c
		Shellbarks	$2.00@2.25

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton futures closed quiet and steady; closing bids: February, 10.03c; March, 10.71c; April, 10.80c; May, 10.87c; June, 10.91c; July, 10.97c; August, 10.85c; September, 10.45c; October, 10.35c; November, 10.28c; December, 10.40c; spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.25c; middling gulf, 11.50c; no sales. The market opened barely steady at a decline of 5@10 points in response to lower cables. There was some covering for over the holiday, a firm report from the market for long account and the market was rather heavy during the middle of the morning, with prices at a net decline of 7@8 points. It was reported that satisfactory progress was being made in the conference between prominent southern and Wall street bulls with reference to the underwriting scheme, but nothing definite was learned and there was no indication of bull support in the market. The market at midday was quiet and steady, with prices 3 or 4 points up from the lowest, but 5 to 7 points net lower. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 11.25c; middling gulf, 11.50c; estimated receipts at the ports today, 26,000 bales, against 17,953 bales last week and 14,871 bales last year. For the week, 135,000 bales, against 124,047 bales last week and 91,742 bales last year. Receipts at the New Orleans, New Orleans, 9,000 bales, against 3,518 last year, and at Houston (not reported), against 1,766 bales last year.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 9.—Spot in fair demand; prices 8 points lower; American middling, fair, 6.37c; good middling, 6.05c; middling, 5.81c; low middling, 5.71c; good ordinary, 5.53c; ordinary, 5.37c. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,300 American. Receipts, 6,000 bales, including 5,600 American. Futures opened easier and closed barely steady; American middling, 6.00c; February, 5.72c; February and March, 5.72c; March and April, 5.74c; April and May, 5.77c; May and June, 5.80c; June and July, 5.82c; July and August, 5.84c; August and September, 5.86c; September and October, 5.82c; October and November, 5.75c; November and December, 5.68c.

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	10.72	10.73	10.66	10.71
April	10.79			10.80
May	10.87	10.88	10.83	10.87
June	10.90	10.93	10.90	10.91
July	10.97	10.99	10.93	10.97
August	10.36	10.95	10.88	10.85
September	10.42			10.45
October	10.33	10.37	10.32	10.35
December	10.88	10.40	10.37	10.40

*Bid. †Asked.
Market quiet.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The coffee market opened quiet at unchanged prices or about in line with the early cables. Trading was quiet at first, but a closing decline at Havre was followed by European selling orders in the local market, which worked off to a net decline of about 5@10 points. Most of this loss was recovered toward the close on Wall street buying, however, and the final tone was steady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Much of the business reported was switching from near to later months. Total sales were 157,500 bags including Feb. at 5.80c; March, 6.05c; May, 7.05@7.10c; July, 7.30c; Sept., 7.45c; and Dec., 7.65@7.70c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; mild steady. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-32@3¾c; molasses sugar 3⅜c. Refined quiet.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—Butter firm; extra western creamery, 29@29½c; extra nearby prints, 31c. Eggs steady; nearby fresh, 17c at mark; western fresh, 16c at mark. Cheese unchanged; New York full cream fancy, 14½c; do choice, 13¾@14c; do fair to good, 12@13½c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Butter—Firm, creamery, 17@27c; dairies, 17@23c. Eggs—Easier at mark, cases included, 15@15c; firsts, 16c; prime firsts, 17c; extras, 19c. Cheese—Firm, 12¾@13c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Butter irregular, unchanged. Receipts, 5,054 packages. Cheese firm, unchanged. Receipts, 983 packages. Eggs steady, unchanged. Receipts, 7,527 cases.

STORM FAILS AND WHEAT PRICES RISE

Fear of Damage to Crop Gives Bulls an Inning in the Pit.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Fear of damage to the wheat crop of the United States was the chief cause today of a strong local wheat market. At the close wheat for May delivery was up ⅝c. Oats showed a gain of ⅛c. Corn was unchanged. Provisions declined 5@7½c. The wheat market was active and strong throughout the entire session. At the opening May was ¼c to ⅝c higher at 85c to 85¼c, and after a decline of 84⅞c, which took place soon after the opening, the price continued to advance. The firmness was due to active covering by traders who sold short yesterday on the prediction of a severe snow storm in Kansas and Nebraska. On the failure of the forecast they bought with energy. An advance in the price of wheat at Liverpool encouraged the bulls somewhat. Reports of damage to the winter wheat were received, but they were indefinite. An excellent demand for cash wheat at Minneapolis and Kansas City gave additional strength to the market. For May the highest point of the day was reached at 85¾c. The market closed strong with May at 85⅝c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 246,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreets, were equal to 2,942,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 402,000 bushels, against 368,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 218 cars, against 190 cars last week and 216 cars one year ago.

Despite the strength of wheat the corn market was inclined to be weak for the greater part of the day. The chief influences favoring a decline were liberal local receipts, a prospect of continued large arrivals, and a slight decline at Liverpool. Late in the session the market became steadier as a result of the strength of wheat. The close was steady with prices unchanged. May opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 43⅝@44c, sold off to 43⅜c and closed at 43½c. Local receipts were 225 cars, with 19 cars of contract grade.

Early in the day the oats market was easier, but it became steady in sympathy with wheat. Reports from the country indicated an increased movement, and cash houses reported more liberal acceptances. The close was steady. May opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 30c to 30⅛c, sold up to 30¼c, where it closed. Local receipts were 151 cars.

Provisions were easier because of moderate profit taking of numerous small holders. Trading was active, there being a good general demand on the slight decline. The market closed steady with May pork off 2½c at $15 12½. Lard and ribs were each down 2½c at $7 80 and $7 97½@8 00 respectively. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 12 cars; corn, 368 cars; oats, 134 cars; hogs, 23,000 head.

The Board of Trade will be closed Monday, February 12, it being the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT.					
May	85⅛	85½	84⅞	85⅝	84⅞
July	83¾	84⅛	83⅞	84⅛	83⅝
CORN.					
May	44	44	43¾	44	44
July	44⅛	44⅝	44	44⅜	44⅛
September	44⅛	44⅝	44⅛	44⅜	44⅛
OATS.					
May	30¼	30¼	30	30¼	30⅛
July	29¾	29⅞	29⅝	29⅞	29⅝
MESS PORK.					
May	15 10	15 17½	15 10	15 12½	15 15
July	14 95	15 07½	14 95	15 00	15 02½
LARD.					
May	7 82½	7 85	7 80	7 80	7 85
July	7 95	7 97½	7 90	7 90	7 90
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8 00	8 02½	7 97½	8 00	8 02½
July	8 12½	8 12½	8 07½	8 10	8 12½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour weak; No. 2 spring wheat, 84@86c; No. 3, 82½@83½c; No. 2 red, 85@86c; No. 2 corn, 43½c; No. 2 yellow, 43¼c; No. 2 oats, 30c; No. 2 white, 32@33c; No. 3 white, 29@31c; No. 2 rye, 64c; good feeding barley, 38½c; fair to choice malting, 42@50c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 11; No. 1 northwestern, $1 16½; prime timothy seed, $3 25; mess pork, bbl, $14 90@14 95; lard, the 100 lbs, $7 65@7 67½; short ribs sides (loose), $7 80@7 90; short clear sides (boxed), $8 25@8 35; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 29; clover, contract grade, $13 75.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	30,500	27,500
Wheat, bushels	34,000	71,700
Corn, bushels	321,000	135,200
Oats, bushels	216,400	206,500
Rye, bushels	16,900	2,100
Barley, bushels	92,900	23,400

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Flour—Receipts, 15,045 barrels; exports, 9,565 barrels; steady but dull. Rye flour quiet. Buckwheat flour dull. Buckwheat dull. Cornmeal barely steady. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 5,000 bushels. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 90¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 92¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 95½c f. o. b. afloat. Higher prices appeared in today's wheat market as the result of bullish crop news. Snow failed to materialize as predicted, the southwest sent in damage news, cables were steady and the Modern Miller report considered a trifle bullish. Shorts covered freely, closing the market ½ to ¾c net higher. May, 90 5-16@90 13-16c, closed at 90¾c; July, 80⅛@80¼c, closed at 80¼c; September, 87⅛@87⅜c, closed at 87⅜c. Corn—Receipts, 145,125 bushels; exports, 168,828 bushels. Spot easy; No. 2 new, elevator and 48½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 48¼c; No. 2 white, 50½c. Option market was more active and lower reflecting western liquidation, liberal receipts and easy cables, but rallied with wheat finally closing unchanged to ⅛c net lower. May, 49⅜@50c, closed at 50c; July, 50@50⅛c, closed at 50⅛c; September, 50@50⅛c, closed at 50⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 79,500 bu; exports, 8,250 bu. Spot easy; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 25@35½c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 25½@36c; clipped white, 28 to 40 lbs., 36½@39c.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 88@92c; May, 83⅞c; July, 81¾c. No. 2 hard, 81@83½c. Corn—No. 2, cash, 40¾c; May, 41⅞@42c; July, 42¾c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 31c; May, 30¼@30½c; July, 29c. No. 2 white, 32½c.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 85@86c; No. 2 northern, 81@84c; May, 85¾c. Rye—No. 1, 65@65½c. Barley—No. 2, May, 44c.

DULUTH, Feb. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 83¾c; No. 2 northern, 80¾c; May, 83¾c; July, 80¼c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 9.—Close: Wheat—May, 82¾c; July, 79¾c. No. 1 hard, 83¾c. No. 1 northern, 83¾c; No. 2 northern, 81¾c. Flour unchanged. Bran in bulk, $14 50@14 75.

TOLEDO, Feb. 9.—Cloverseed—Cash and Feb., $8 45; March, $8 47; April, $8 37; timothy, $2 62½; alsike, $7 60.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The report of the Arizona Commercial Mining Company for the year ended December 31, 1905, shows: Receipts, $213,932; expenditures, $213,932. The balance sheet follows: Assets—Cash in banks, December 1, 1905, $52,191; accounts receivable at mine, $3,000; cash supplies, $5,000; total, $75,191. Liabilities—Current expenses at mine for month of December, $12,000; surplus, $63,191.

Operations at the Quincy were resumed in all the shafts yesterday.

Guanajuato, Mex.—An important merger is among the probabilities of this camp. It contemplates the union of seven or eight of the largest companies, among them the Guanajuato Amalgamated Gold Mines Company, of which A. J. Adams of New York is president. Western capitalists are behind the project.

The report of San Luis Mining Company for 1905 shows net profits for the year of $138,780, against $41,934 in 1904. The company produced 20,726 tons of ore. The company has 40 mines. It is paying dividends this year at the rate of 6 per cent, and next year with more mines in operation it expects to pay at the rate of 12 per cent.

A Los Angeles, Cal., dispatch says: "The Black Hills Mining Company, located near the United Verde at Jerome, Ariz., has just purchased another additional claim adjoining the Mountain View on which there is now a shaft 816 feet deep, the deepest in that region outside of the United Verde. The character of the veins uncovered indicated that there was an excellent body of pay ore on the adjoining land, hence the purchase. The former owners were Arizonians. Very little except assessment work has been done. The Migus Copper Company, owned largely by the same people, has its shaft down 200 feet. The property is but a short distance from the Black Hills."

Houghton, Mich.—The shack distinctly felt Wednesday at Calumet leads to the belief that the Quincy accident was due to an earthquake. The fall of ground at Quincy took place at the fourth level, between Nos. 2 and 4 shafts. The No. 2 shaft was somewhat damaged but the probability is the accident has not been attended with very serious results.

The Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—There was an advance of 10s@12s 6d in the London tin market with spot closing at £165 and futures at £166 15s. Locally the market was quiet and without material change, spot being quoted at $33 00@35 25.

Copper was unchanged at £78 10s for spot and £76 for futures in the English market. Locally no change was reported either in quotations or general conditions. Lake and electrolytic copper is said to be obtainable around $17 75 to $18 00; but some of the large producers are asking higher prices, and including their views, quotations range from $17 75 to $18 50. Casting quoted at $17 50@17 62½. Lead closed £16 6s 3d in London and $5 66@5 70 in the local market. Spelter was unchanged at £27 in London and $5 65@5 70 in the local market. Iron was 1½ to 2d higher in the English market, with standard foundry closing at 50s 6d and Cleveland warrants at 50s 10½d. Locally the market was unchanged with No. 1 foundry northern quoted at $18 25@19 25; No. 2 foundry northern at $17 75@18 25; No. 1 foundry southern at $18 25@18 75, and No. 2 foundry southern at $17 75@18 25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open	High	Low	Closing. Bid.	Ask.
Allouez	40	40½	40	41	42
Adventure	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Arcadian				4½	5
Atlantic	25¼	25¼	25	25	25½
Boston Cons	20	20	20	20	20¼
Bingham	48¾	49⅜	48¾	48½	48¾
Black Mount				11½	12
Calumet & Hecla	705	705	700	700	705
Centennial	28	28	28	27½	28½
Daly West	16½	16¾	16¼	16	16¾
Nevada	12¾	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	13
Franklin	19¾	20⅛	19¾	20	20½
Granby	10⅜	10⅝	10⅜	10	10⅝
Greene	27⅛	28	27⅛	27⅝	28
Isle Royale	24½	24⅞	24½	24	24½
Mass				1¾	1⅞
Mohawk	58¾	58⅞	58¾	58	58½
Michigan	14½	14⅝	14½	14½	15
North Butte	86⅝	87	86¾	86⅝	86⅞
Osceola				100	100½
Old Dominion	37	37½	36¾	36	36½
Old Colony				1¾	1¾
Parrot	40½	40½	40¼	40	40¾
Phoenix				1¾	1¾
Quincy	100	100	100	98	100
Range Cons	82	82¾	81⅞	82	82½
Rhode Island	7¼	7¼	6¾	6¼	6¾
Trinity				10	10½
Tamarack				108	
United Copper	74⅞	74⅞	74½	74¼	74¾
Utah	64	65	64	64	64⅝
U. S. Mining	59⅝	59⅝	59¾	59¾	60
Victoria	7⅝	7⅝	7½	7⅝	7⅞
Wolverine	134	134	134	134	134
Winona	6	6	6	5⅞	6
Keweenaw				17	17½
Butte Explo				4½	4¾

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.

Calumet & Arizona				118	119
Calumet & Pgh				36	36¼
Junction					20½
L. S. & Pgh				43	44¾
Pgh. & Duluth				22½	23
East Butte				8¾	9¼
Raven				4½	4¾

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—A little more activity developed all through the list in spite of the fact the heavy storm was causing considerable wire trouble. Bingham showed renewed strength and seemed to be in excellent demand. There was a little demand for Copper Range and the stock was scarce. Montana Coal & Coke furnished considerable of the activity at the opening, and held strong all day. A considerable short interest will probably cover tomorrow on account of the holiday if nothing unforseen happens.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	.20	Little Chief	.05
*Alice	4.10	Ontario	2.50
Breece	.45	Ophir	.75
Brunswick Con	.50	Phoenix	.02
Comstock Tunnel	.02½	Potosi	.11
Con. Cal. & Va	1.85	Savage	.26
Horn Silver	2.10	Sierra Nevada	.05
Iron Silver	1.65	Small Hopes	.50
Leadville Con	.07	†Standard	4.60

*Offered. †Ex-div.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow of the wool market: There is more business being transacted and a firmer feeling pervades the entire market. The improvement is due in a great measure to the satisfactory opening of goods in New York some days ago. Manufacturers are now reckoning a point where they can foresee their requirements, and consequently their buyers are now becoming generally active. Men from New England and Pennsylvania are around, and suitable wools are being bought up in a free manner. Worsted and woolen mills are operating and the demand is for nearly all grades.

The transactions negotiated include staple and clothing territory, Oregon, half and three-eighths blood fleeces, scoured. California, Texas, pulled, South American and a little Australian. Sales vary from 10,000 to 100,000 pounds. The total business is considered to be the best for weeks. Fine staple is scarce. In fact, all lines of territory wool are in such light supply that good lines sell freely whenever offered. Half blood Wyomings are moving quite well at 65@67c, while some staple Oregon is brining around 24c. In baled California scoured sales are frequent at 60@62c for fall fleece. Fall Texas also sells at 62c. There is a movement of considerable size in quarter blood fleeces and the supply is now well cleared up. Prices range from 31½c to 32½c. The shipments of wool from Boston to date from December 27, 1905, according to the same authority, are 25,234,324 pounds, against 28,978,167 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts to date are 23,745,599 pounds, against 28,597,099 pounds for the same period last year.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—In the drygoods market today buying was of only moderate size, but prices were generally firm and for prompt delivery buyers found it impossible to secure concessions.

The Whisky Market.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 9.—Whisky, $1 23.

COLD SPELL HELPED EXPANSION IN TRADE

Seasonable Weather Brought Distribution of Winter Apparel—Only Adverse Element is Coal Situation.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of trade tomorrow will say: Distribution of heavy weight wearing apparel, fuel and other seasonable merchandise expanded rapidly in response to the more normal temperature, but one week's business has not depleted the accumulation of last month, and retail stocks are still burdensome. Reports are much more satisfactory, and an impetus has been given to wholesale trade in spring drygoods and other forward business depending upon confidence in continued national prosperity. Jobbing returns and manufacturing statements indicate little idle capacity, the leading industrial plants having added to their already heavy contracts on hand. Mercantile collectors are prompt, although some extensions are asked. Commodity prices are fairly steady, no important variations occurring during the past week.

The only adverse development of the week was the less pacific news from the coal fields, although a strike may be prevented by agreement any time before April 1. Railway earnings for January now fairly complete show an increase of 16.6 per cent over last year's figures, while foreign commerce at this port for the last week made a most strikingly favorable comparison with the same period in 1905, exports gaining 86.89c.es, while imports increased $2,775,079.

Less urgency to place orders for iron and steel products during the past week is a satisfactory development because it testifies to the absence of speculative operations that might easily produce unwholesome inflation of prices. Yet the past week was by no means devoid of new inquiries, particularly in regard to structural steel for lake vessel and manufacturing plants.

Bradstreets tomorrow will say: Money is easy and collections range from only fair to good, accordingly as the section of country is considered. Price movements of leading staples are generally toward ease, and some recessions as, for instance, in pig iron, develop new business.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending February 8 number 204 against 208 last week, 207 in the like week of 1905, 209 in 1904, 217 in 1903, and 256 in 1902. In Canada failures for the week number 27 as against 24 last week, and 26 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending February 8 are 2,241,339 bushels, against 2,064,208 bushels last week, 987,775 bushels this week last year, 1,746,253 bushels in 1904, and 2,856,439 bushels in 1902. From July 1 to date the exports are 86,969,386 bushels against 71,049,918 bushels last year, 103,097,599 bushels in 1904 and 153,813,977 bushels in 1903.

Corn exports for the week are 3,580,750 bushels, against 3,289,329 bushels last week, 2,448,456 bushels a year ago, 589,382 bushels in 1904 and 1,830,179 bushels in 1903. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 72,068,799 bushels, against 35

NEW P. R. R. LINE THROUGH BRADDOCK

This Company and B. & O. Will Keep Things Lively in Monongahela Valley Towns.

BUSY ON TWO-CENT TARIFFS

The string of boroughs from Wilkinsburg and Swissvale to McKeesport along the easterly side of the Monongahela river will be the scene of activity in railroad construction this year. The Pennsylvania railroad is preparing for the construction of the new main line through Bessemer and Braddock which was mentioned in The Gazette some time ago. The main object of this is to eliminate the heavy curve around the Point of Rocks between Braddock and Bessemer stations, known as the Bessemer curve. Some of the houses along the new right of way have already been torn away, and further preparations for excavating and grading the line are in progress. The line will require either a tunnel through the hill just east of Braddock station and under a portion of the borough, or the cutting away of a large portion of the hillside. It was denied recently that this work was to be done this year, but now active construction has begun. It is probable the Pennsylvania will reach an agreement with Wilkinsburg and other boroughs for eliminating several bad grade crossings.

The Pennsylvania has been surveying a couple of routes from Stewart station eastward and to the south of the main line. The surveys touch the southerly edge of Jeannette, Manor and a couple of other towns, and reach some of the villages back in the country from the main line. No information can be secured from local officers, but it is understood the surveys are for a low grade route on practically an air line.

The Baltimore & Ohio will continue the work of building a four-track road from Glenwood to McKeesport. Most of this work has already been done, but there still remains considerable construction through Rankin and Braddock. About 60 families will remove March 1 by order of the company, so that the properties can be utilized in the larger roadway. A portion of the road will have five, and for some distance six, tracks. The company desires to make improvements which will permit the running of a large number of passenger trains between Pittsburgh and McKeesport. The change of line through McKeesport and the building of a new passenger station there will probably be a portion of the Baltimore & Ohio's scheme.

"Doing It Cheerfully," Says Moody.

"We have instructed our rate department to make up the new local tariffs for Ohio in consequence of the 2-cent rate," said Col. Samuel Moody, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west, "and we shall be ready for the new rate easily by the time the law becomes effective on March 8. We are not going to make a fight. We are doing it cheerfully."

The diplomatic and genial colonel seemed not at all perturbed by the new rate law for Ohio; he simply took the matter in his good way of the old saw, "Grin and bear it." He was not looking for technicalities. The Ohio legislators were not rate men. The colonel did not say this or even hint it, but this fact is shown in their not specifying certain very important things. They secured the one principal thing that they wanted—2 cents a mile in Ohio. But they did not specify whether this should apply to the rate from Columbus to Pittsburgh, for instance, for that would have been infringing on interstate commerce grounds. The railroads will probably help out in this matter, for sooner or later there would have to be a different tariff because of competition. Eventually the entire Central Passenger association tariff sheets for the all-roads touching Ohio will have to be revised for points within that state, as well as for interstate business. The legislators did not specify whether 44 cents or 45 cents should be charged for 22 miles, or whether 41 miles should be 80 cents or 82 cents, or even 86 cents, if the railroads "need the money." But the legislators left something for the railroads to do in the rate business. The rate clerks will have enough to do for the next 30 days.

General Counsel Brooks of the Pennsylvania lines says that the new law will not be contested by his companies, but if, after a reasonable trial, it is found that the roads cannot operate under the law, a modification will be asked of the Ohio assembly.

Spirited on in the subject by the Ohio law, traveling men in Pennsylvania will proceed to secure a 2-cent rate in this state. The Homeless 26 has this in mind, as well as it has of securing the elimination of the $10 deposit on mileage books. Gov. Pennypacker will be petitioned next week for a supplemental call of the legislature for action on this subject. Similar action may be taken by traveling men in Maryland, West Virginia and Indiana.

Among the Railroad Visitors.

D. W. Cooke, assistant general traffic manager of the Erie of New York, and S. P. Sharp, freight traffic manager of the same road, of Chicago, were in Pittsburgh yesterday conferring with General Agent Wells of the Erie and General Freight Agent Terry of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie regarding traffic matters.

John Francis, general passenger agent of the Burlington lines east of the Missouri river, was here from Chicago conferring with Traveling Passenger Agent Drake. He paid his respects to General Passenger Agents Moody and Robbins, Assistant General Passenger Agents Kelley and Taggart and other local passenger officials in a call.

William E. Hoyt, general eastern passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific, was here from New York conferring with Central Passenger Agent James of the same road.

Charles W. Williams, general agent of the Wabash at Cleveland, conferred with local officers of the company.

O. G. Parsley, general agent of the Kansas City Southern, was here from Chicago looking up traffic business.

J. Henderson, traveling passenger agent of the French line, was here from New York conferring with W. P. McCormick, secretary of the McCormick steamship agency, and looking up steamship traffic.

To Electrify Station, Not Track.

Numerous coils of cable along the Pennsylvania railroad in the East End district led to the report that the Pennsylvania was contemplating the electrification of one of the tracks from the Union station to East Pittsburgh, or perhaps Pitcairn, for testing electric motor service for the suburban trains. Superintendent Long of the Pittsburgh division, said this was a mistake, as the cables are to be used only for the transmission of electricity to the new East Liberty station. The electricity will be used for power for the elevators at the station and for lighting the station and its vicinity. The electricity is to be carried from the big power plant near the Union station.

N. P. Ramsay Still With Wabash.

N. P. Ramsay is still superintendent of mails of the Wabash, unless he resigned within the past 36 hours. In reference to the erroneous report of his resignation, Mr. Ramsay said: "The notice issued by the president says that the business will hereafter be conducted under the direction of D. G. Ives, general traffic manager. Heretofore it has been under the direction of the president. I see nothing in the circular that changes the condition, and I have not resigned."

Cars Are Short on All Roads.

A car shortage that is troubling the railroads and shippers of the Pittsburgh district was reported yesterday as worse than the people have experienced for some time. There is a famine of coal cars, as well as of cars for shipping finished steel and other manufactured products. The outlook for today was anything but promising for an improvement.

Railroad Notes.

W. R. Baker was appointed Baltimore & Ohio agent at Evans City yesterday to succeed N. S. Ferris, who quit the railroad business.

The Gould interests are reported to have formed a syndicate in the east for completing the link between the Western Maryland at Cumberland and the Wabash at or near Wheeling.

Assistant General Passenger Agent Kelly and his force of men will remove into the offices at 329 Fifth avenue, formerly occupied by General Freight Agent Booth. Commercial Agent Bradley and City Passenger Agent Hamilton will occupy Mr. Kelley's present office.

The Pennsylvania has contracted with W. J. Kissock & Co. for removing the buildings on the company's property in Church street, between Federal and Sandusky streets, Allegheny, where, as was exclusively announced in The Gazette some time ago, a large freight house is to be built.

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"Bread-Wagon Driver Has a Good Future."
"Heredity and Early Training Responsible for Life's Wreck."
"Raised His Pay to Fire Him; Firm Originates Unique Plot."
"How to Find the Area of a Circle."